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TENNESSEE PREPARATORY SCHOOL WAS FOUNDED IN 1885 BY THE LATE COLONEL E.W. COLE AS A MEMORIAL TO HIS SON, RANDALL, WHO WAS KILLED IN AN ACCIDENT AT THE AGE OF NINETEEN. TPS IS NOW A PART OF THE STATE SPECIAL SCHOOLS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE TENNESSEE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

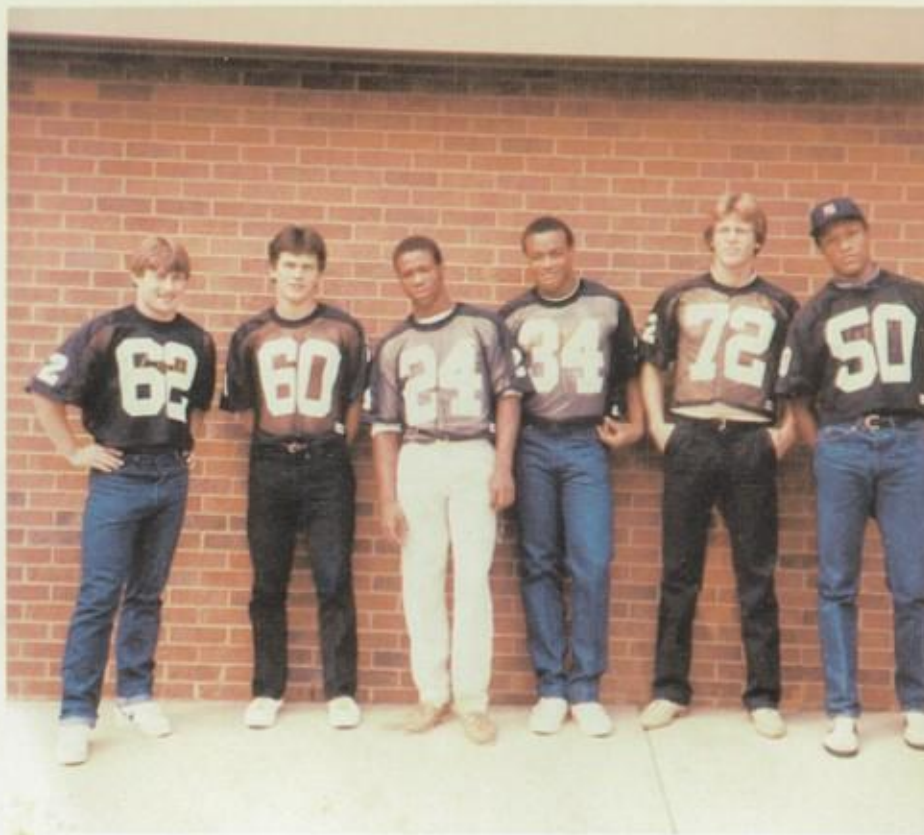
DEPENDENT AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN, AGES TWELVE TO EIGHTEEN, FROM ALL AREAS OF TENNESSEE ARE PLACED HERE. THE CHILDREN ARE PROVIDED WITH HOUSING, FOOD, CLOTHING, EDUCATION, MEDICAL SERVICES, DENTAL SERVICES, AND COUNSELING PROGRAMS. EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO PARTICIPATE.

TPS HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS SINCE 1935. A WELL BALANCED CURRICULUM, OFFERING INDIVIDUALIZED PROGRAMMING AS WELL AS COLLEGE PREPARATORY COURSES AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING CLASSES, IS OFFERED TO THE STUDENTS ENROLLED HERE. MANY TPS GRADUATES HAVE CONTINUED THEIR EDUCATION AND HOLD DEGREES FROM SUCH INSTITUTIONS AS AUBURN, PEABODY, TENNESSEE TECH, UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE, AND VANDERBILT, AND HAVE BECOME PROMINENT IN THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY AS WELL AS LEADERS IN OTHER FIELDS.

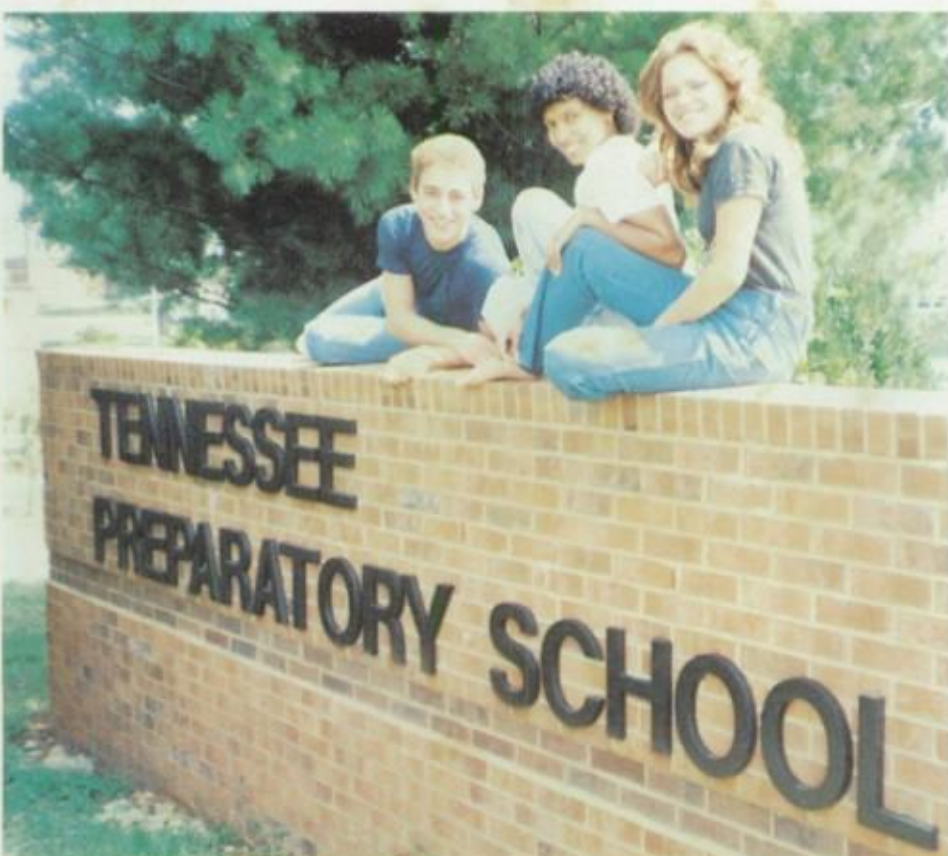
IN KEEPING WITH IT PURPOSE, TPS HAS BEEN HOME FOR THOUSANDS. MUCH GROWTH AND MANY CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED OVER THE YEARS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF CAPABLE AND DEDICATED SUPERINTENDENTS. THIS YEAR MARKS THE COMPLETION OF AN EXTENSIVE BUILDING PROGRAM WHICH CREATED RESIDENTIAL COTTAGES AND NEW SCHOOL FACILITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS. THE FUTURE WILL CONTINUE TO HOLD MANY IMPROVEMENTS AS WE STRIVE TO PROVIDE THE VERY BEST WE CAN FOR THOSE STUDENTS ENROLLED HERE.



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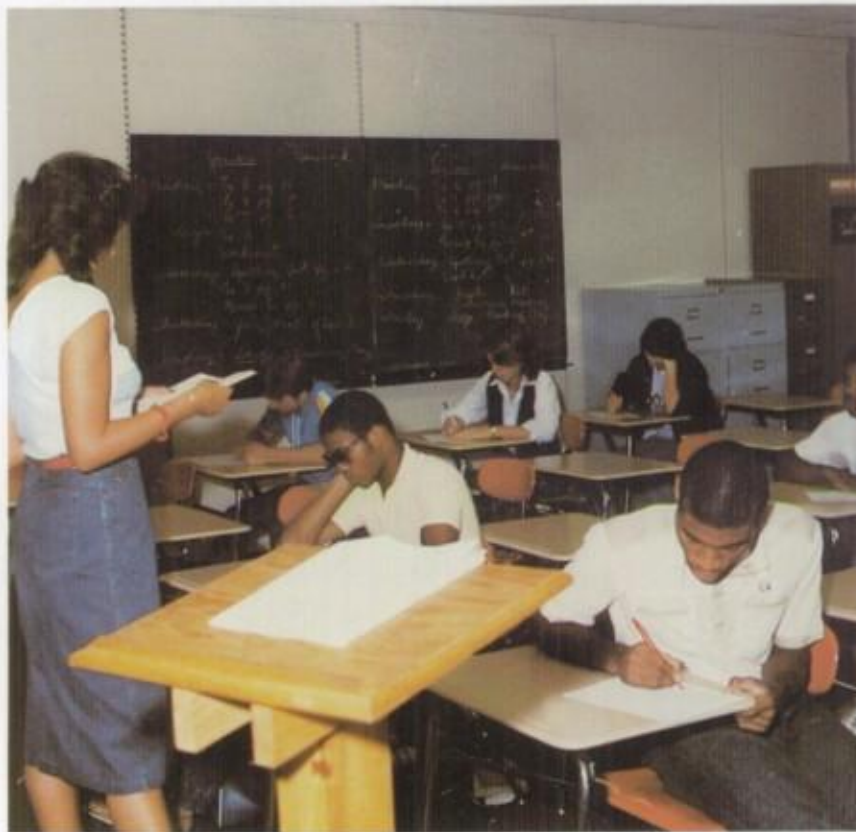




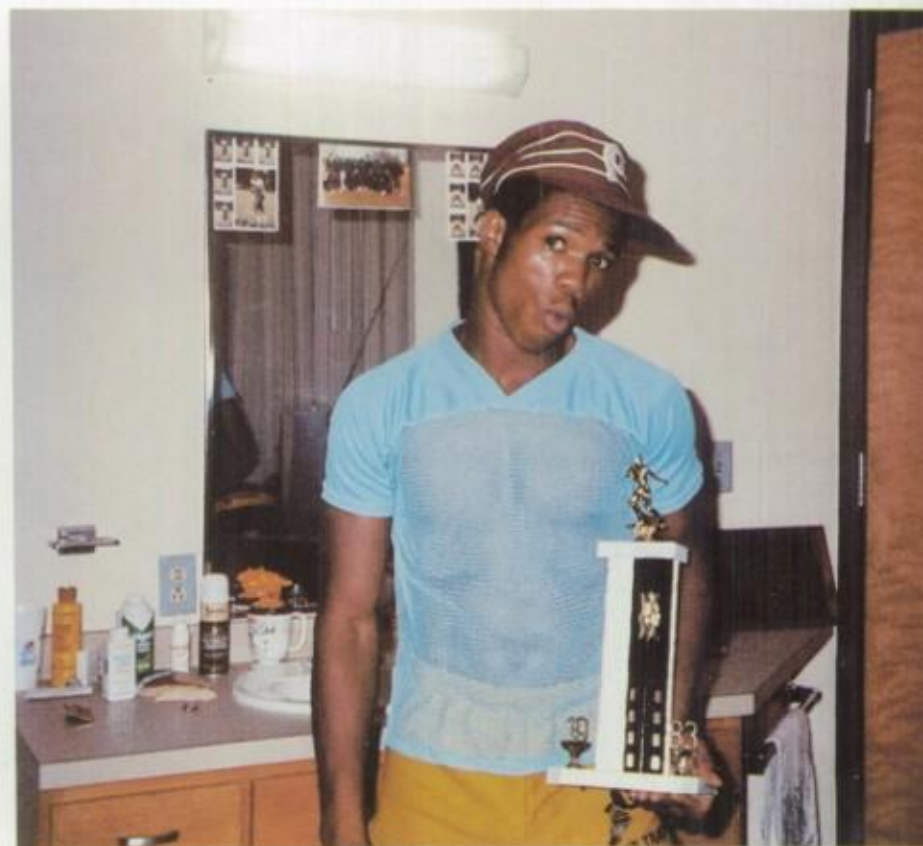
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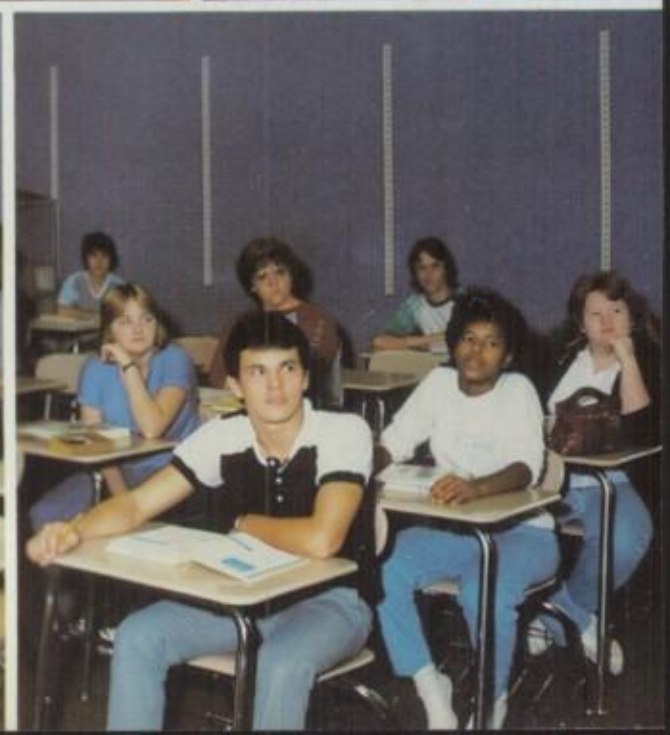
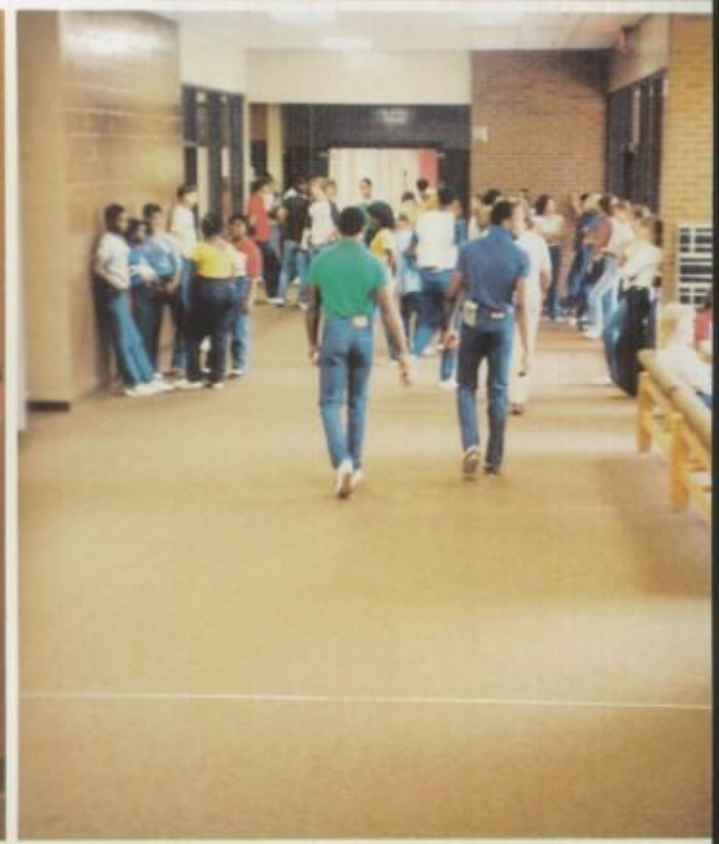
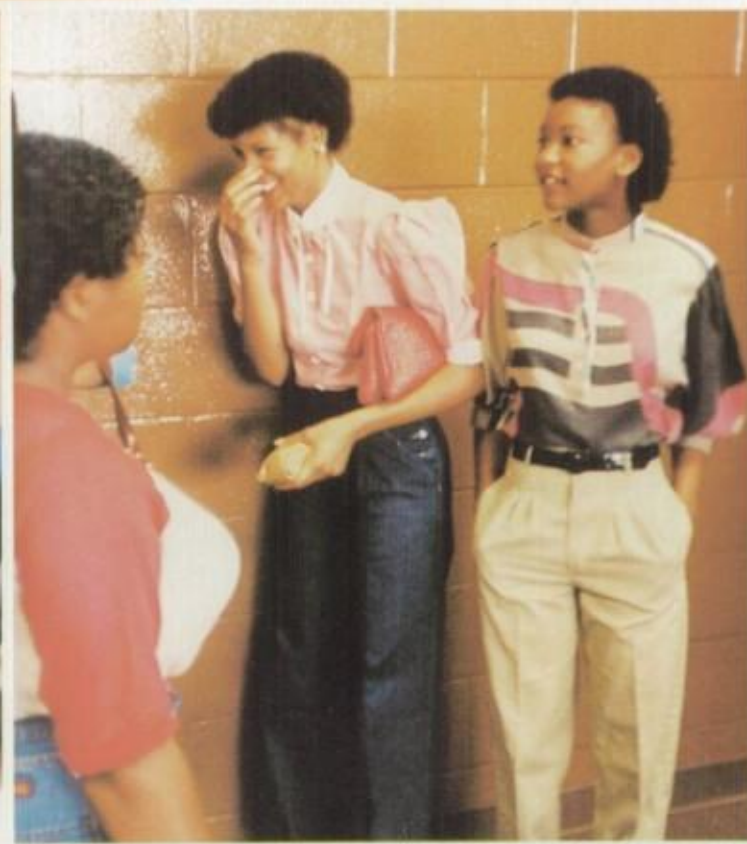


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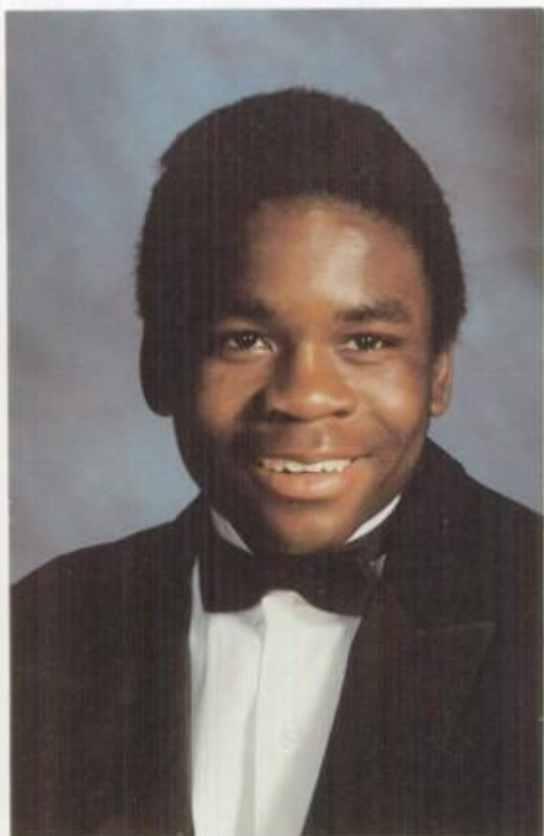


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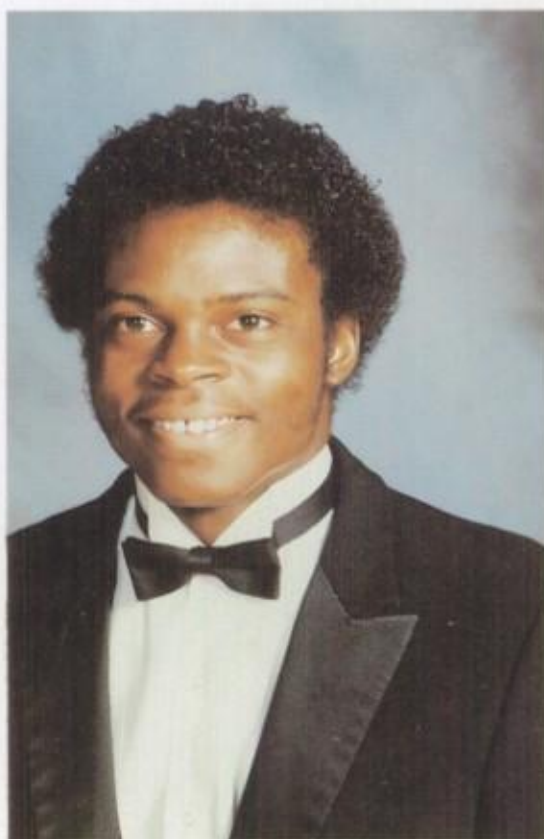
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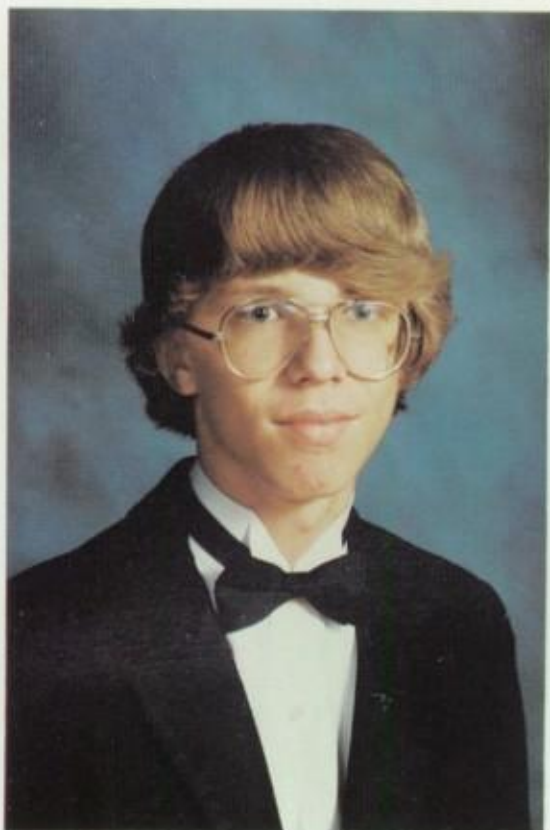
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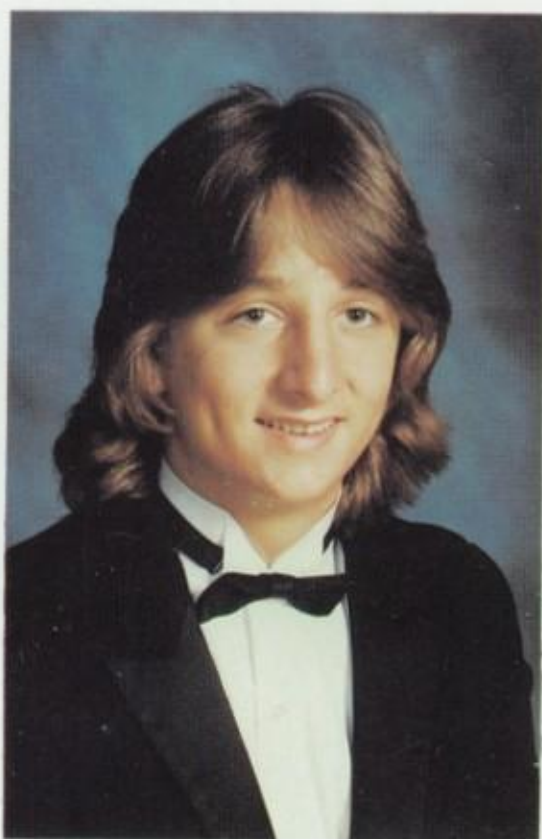
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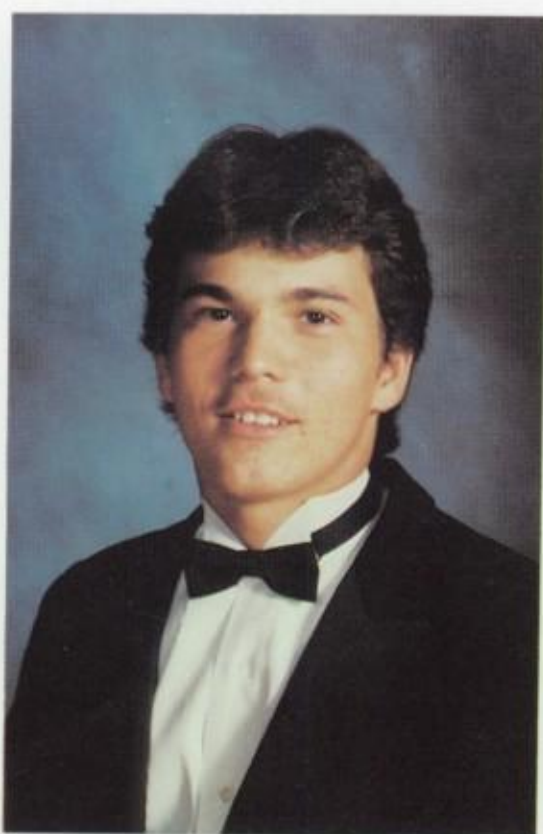
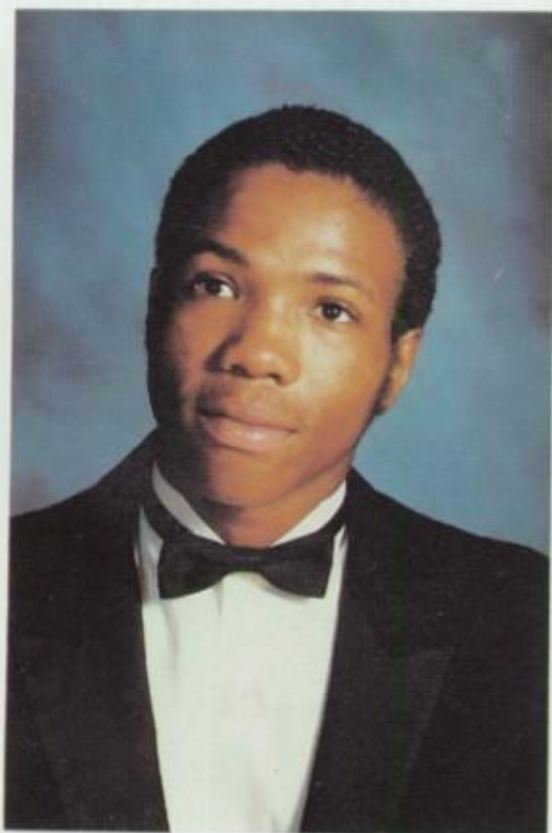
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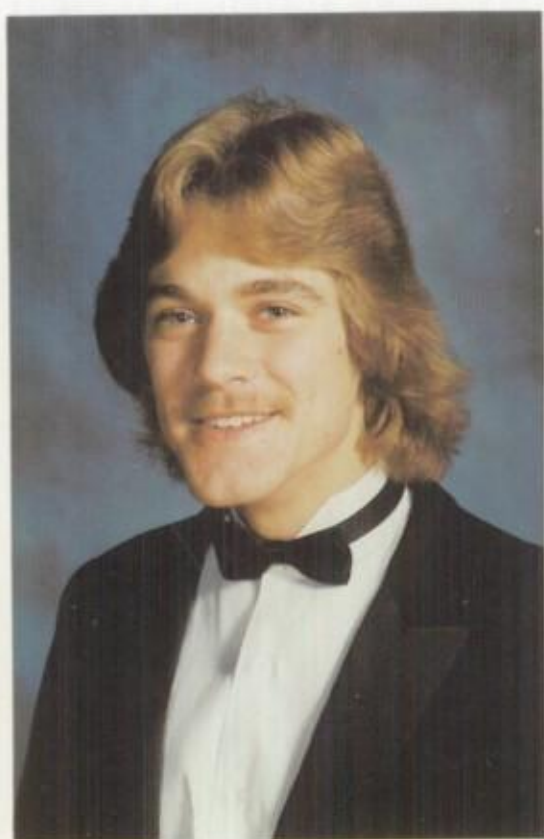
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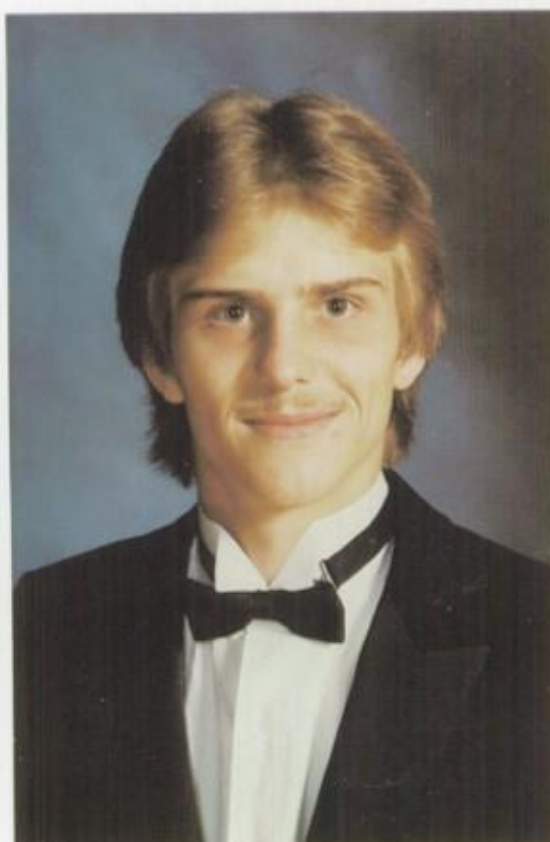
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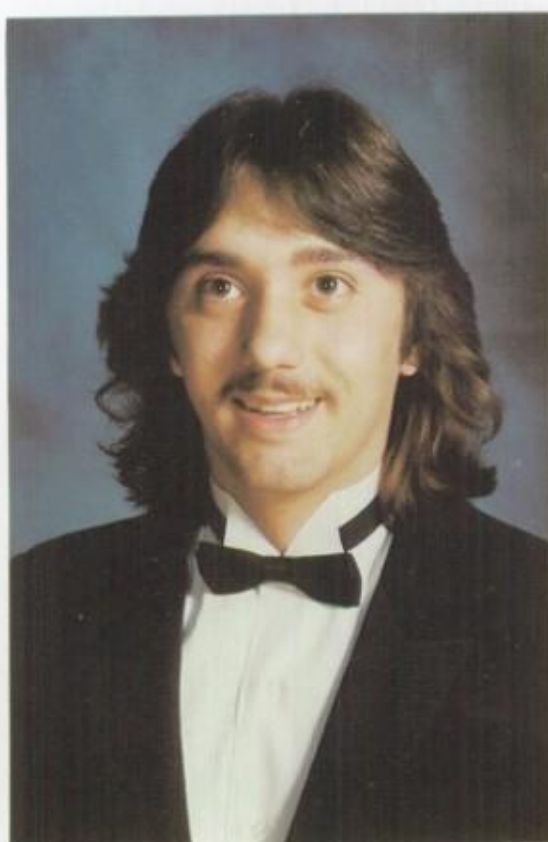
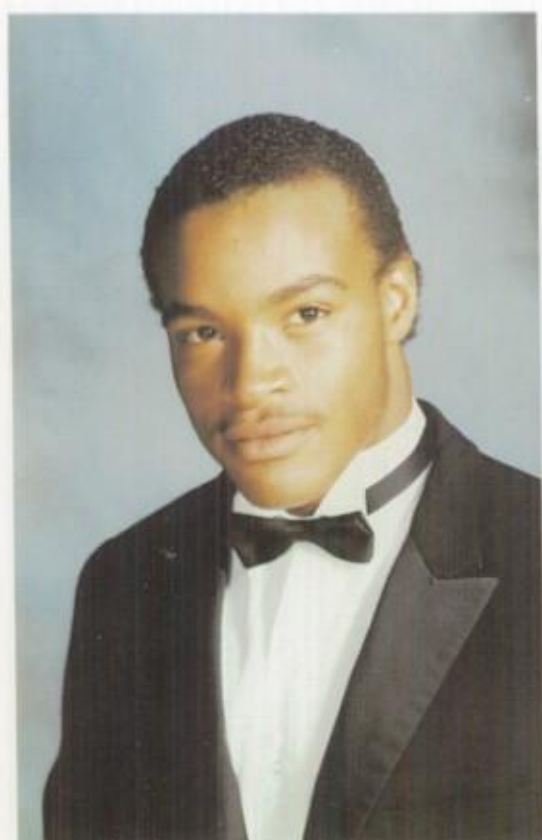
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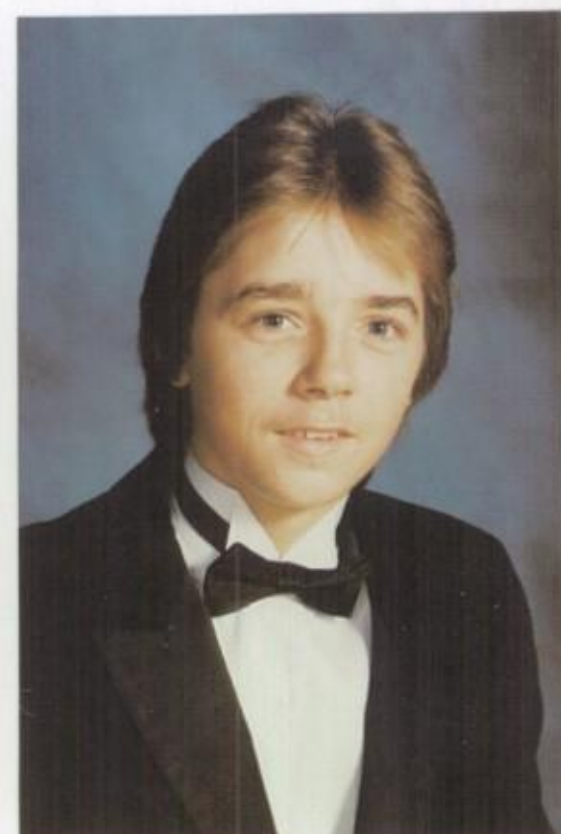
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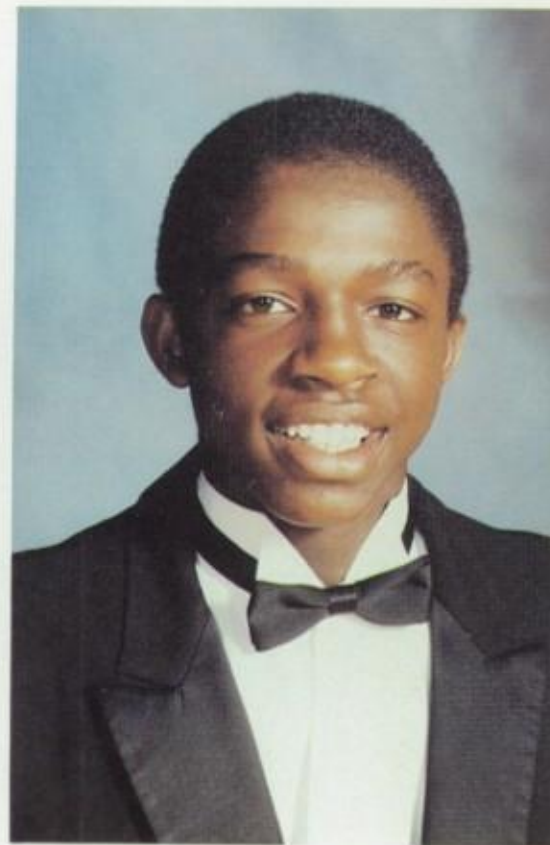




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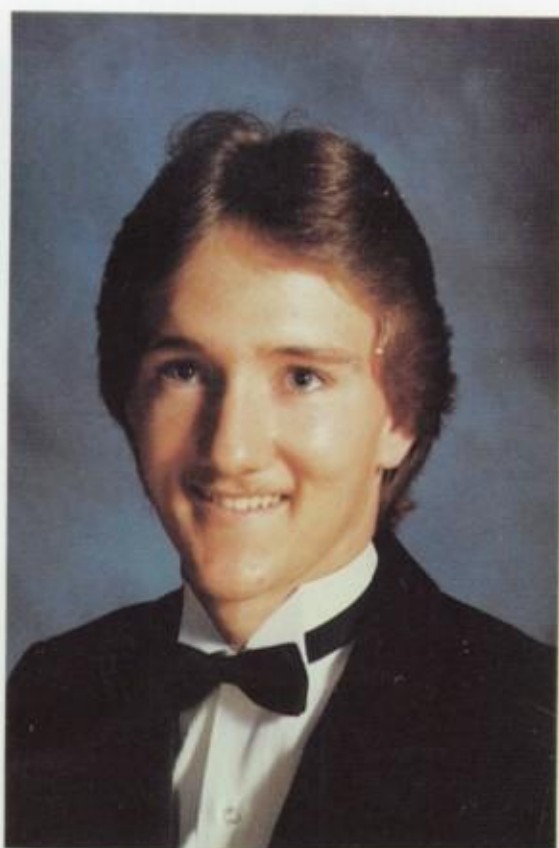
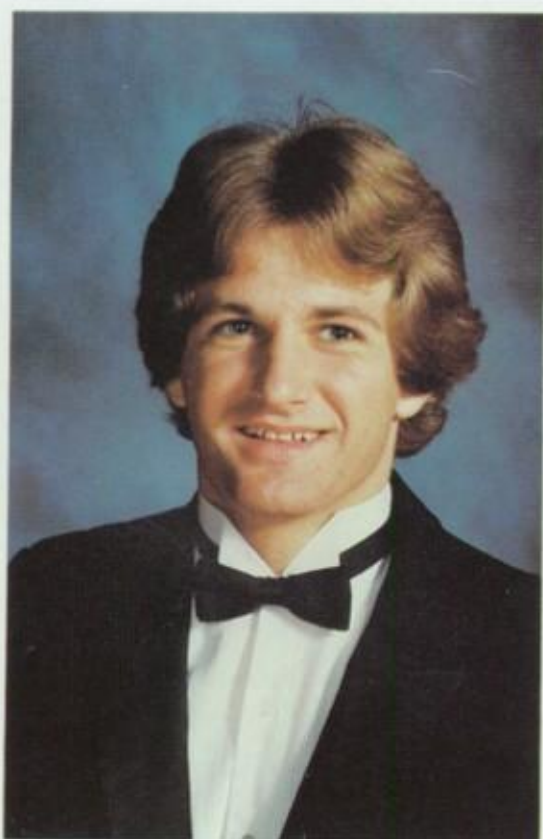
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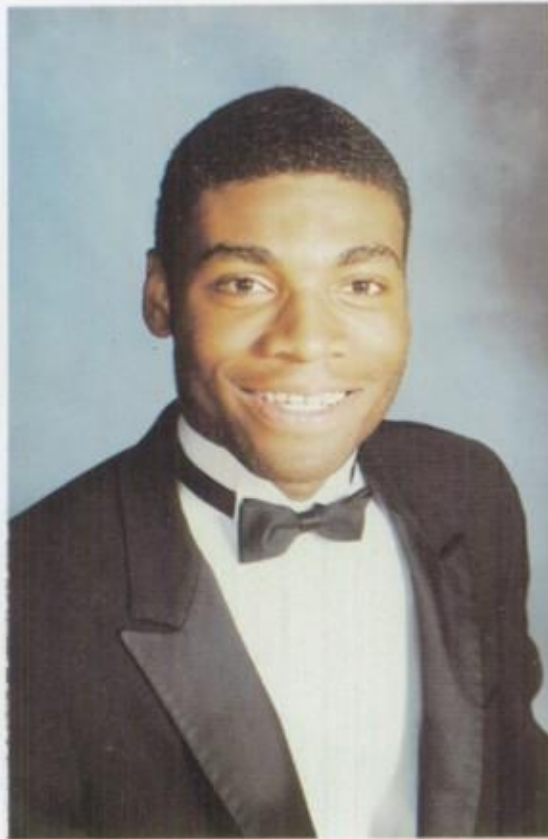
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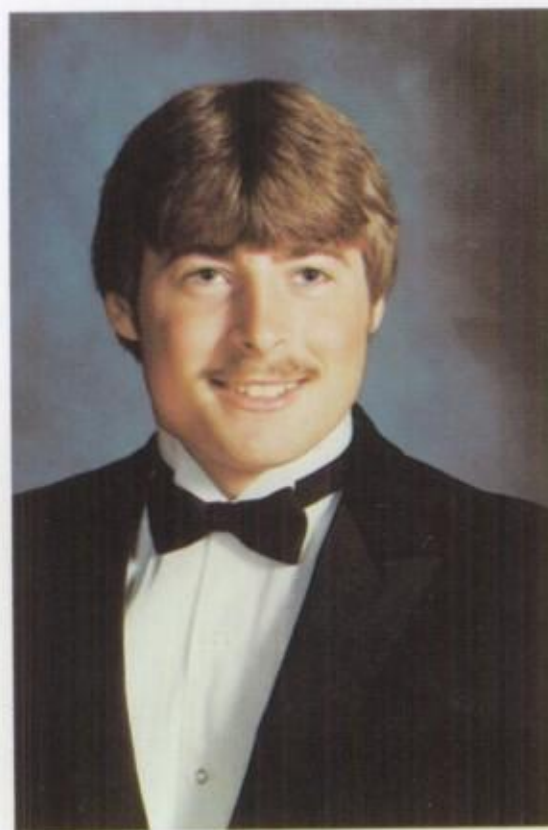
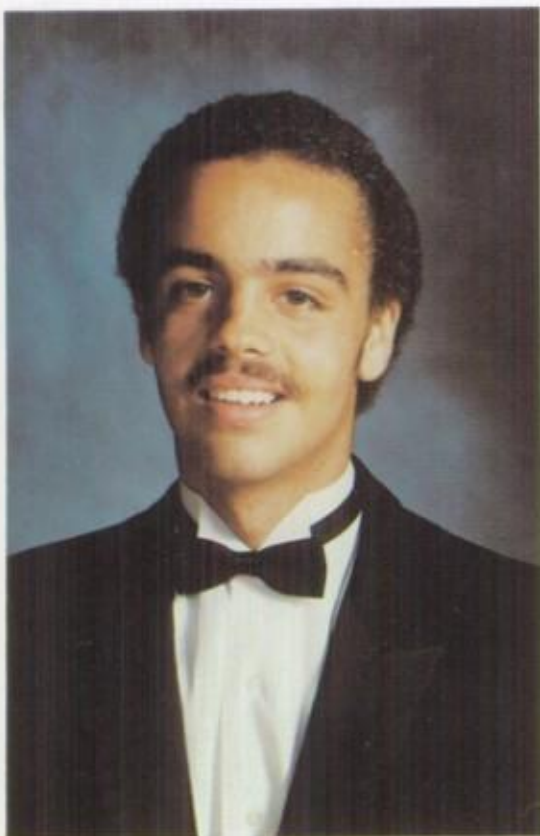
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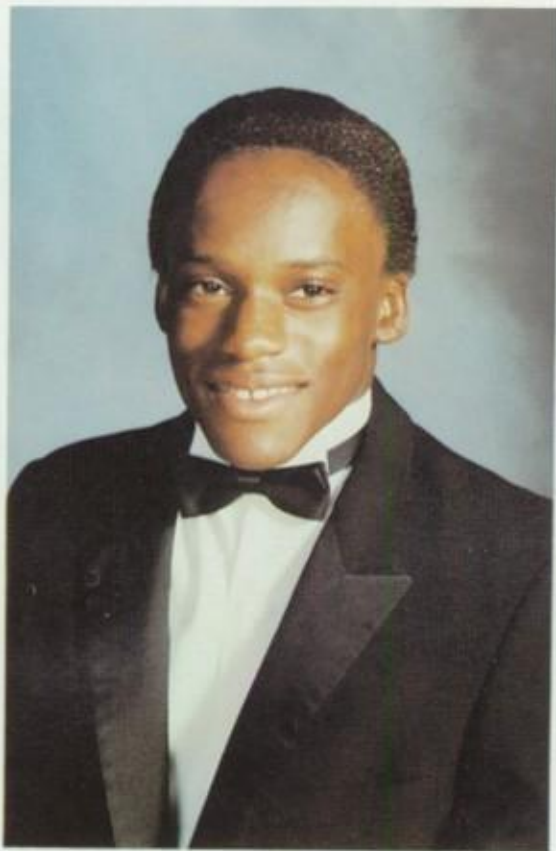
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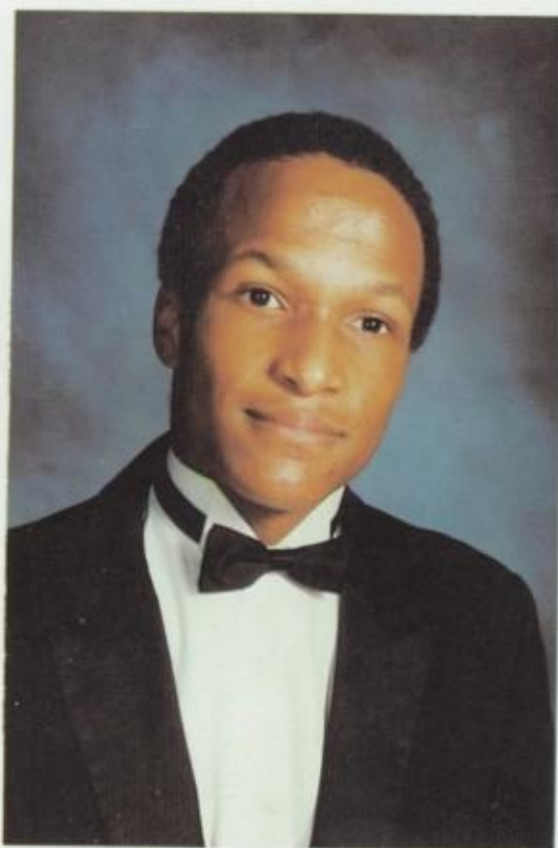
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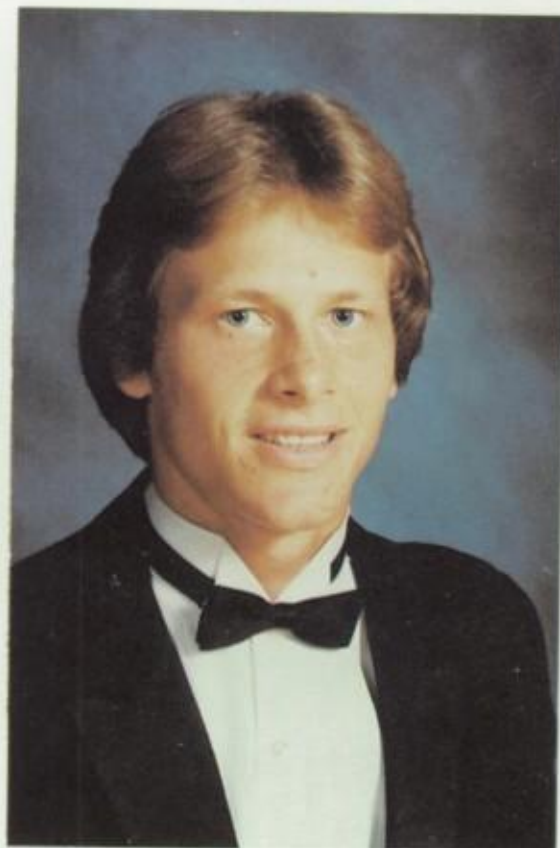




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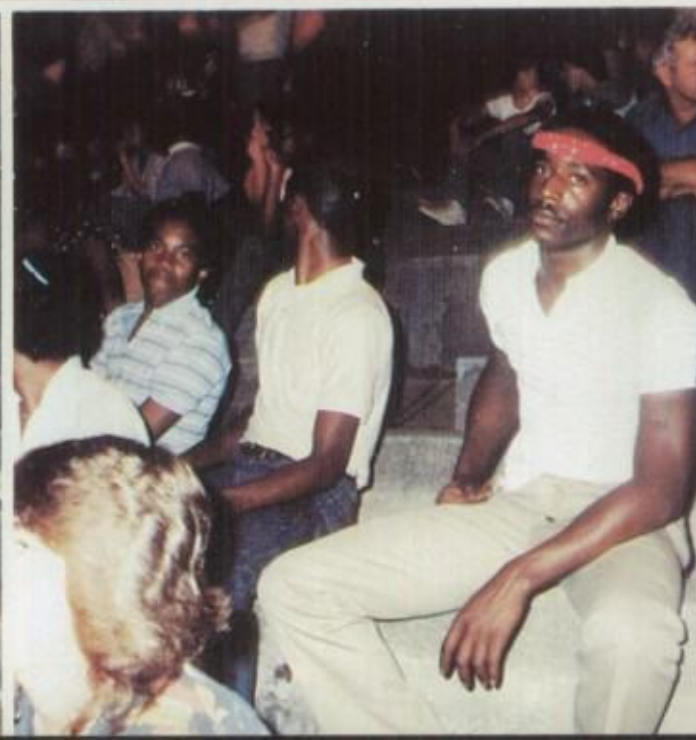
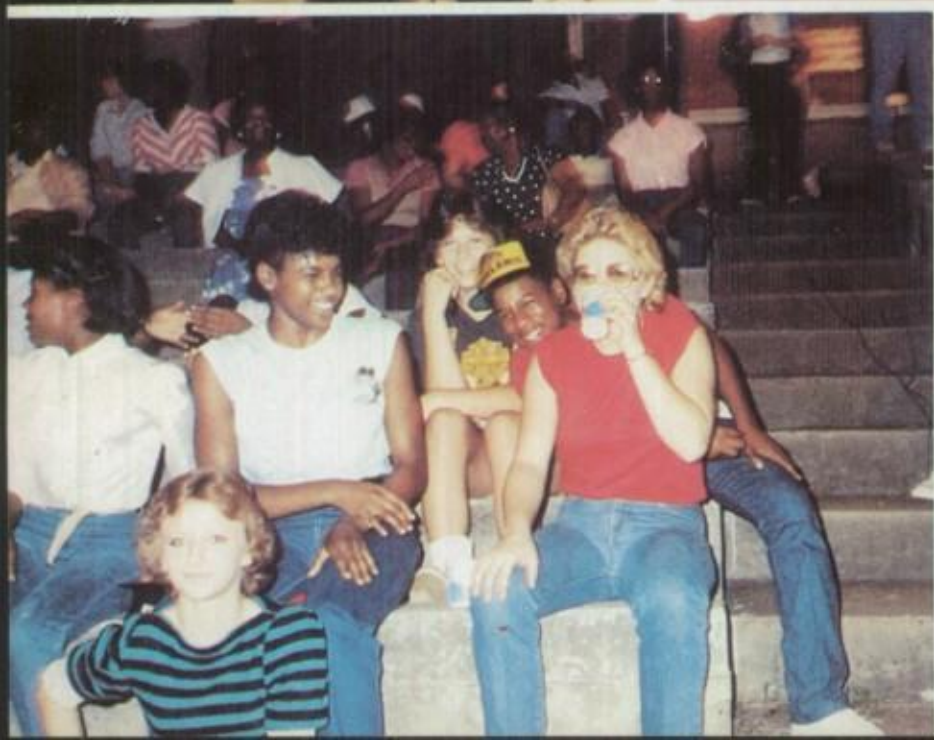
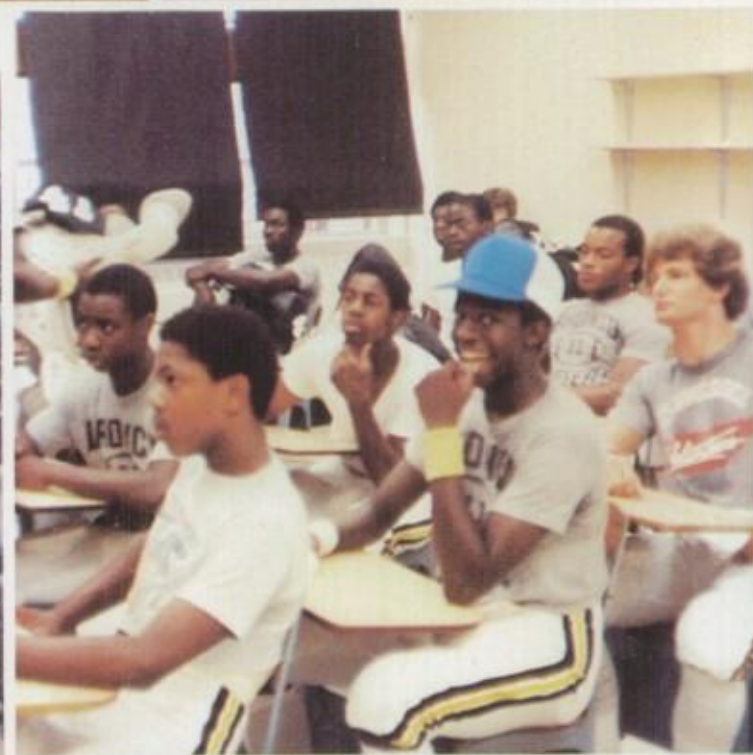
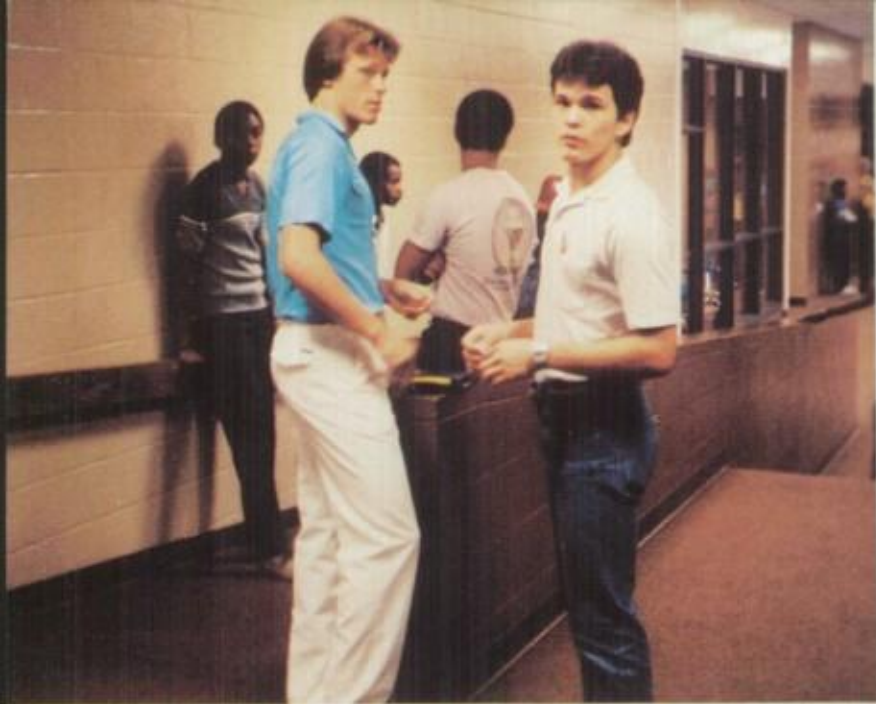
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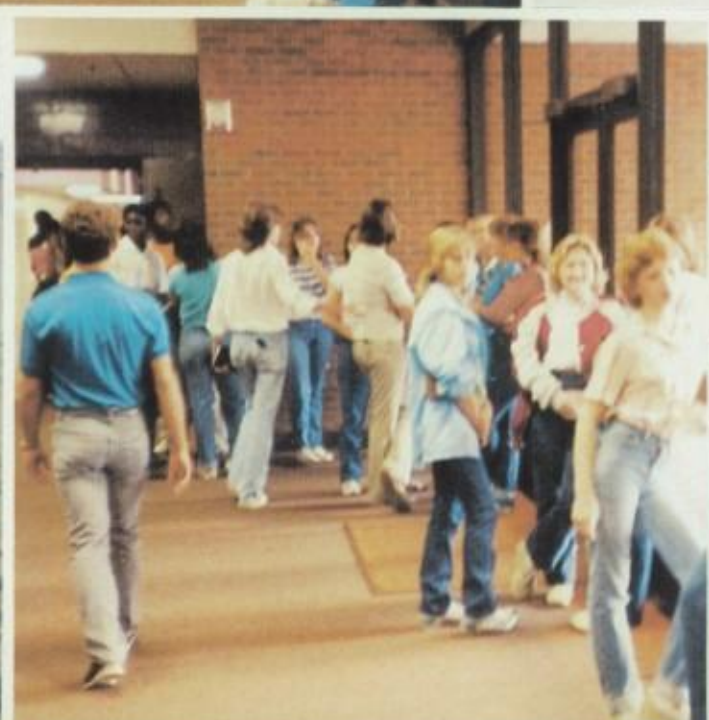
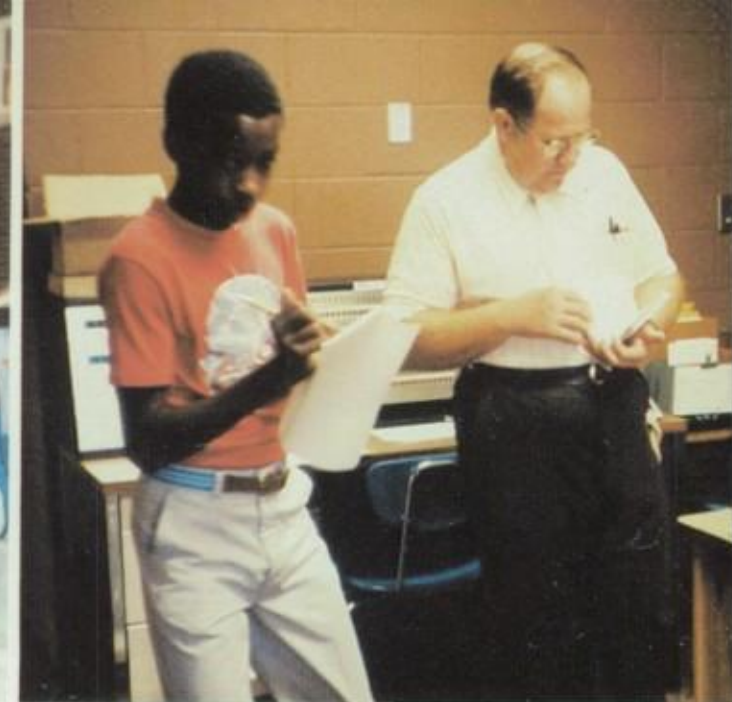


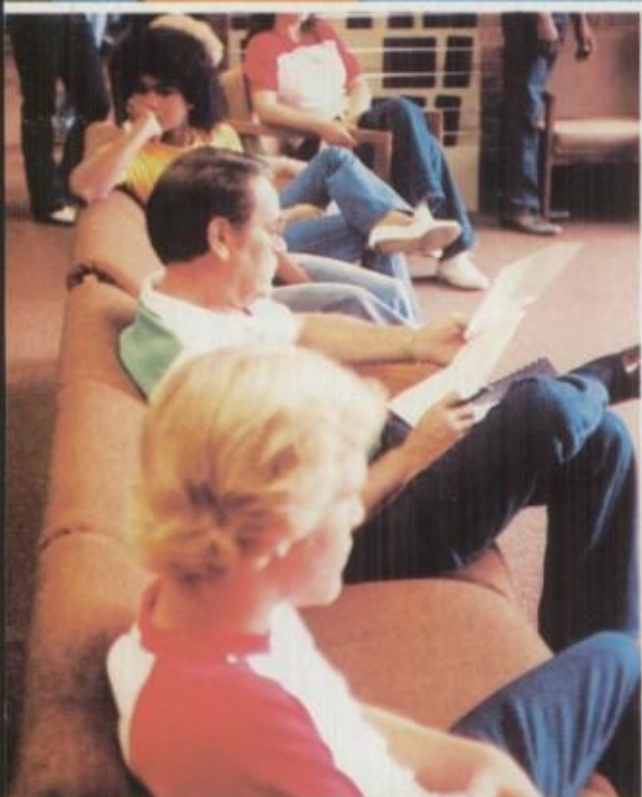
Russell Wells

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MR. AND MISS. TPS 1983



MR. BILL SHOULDERS

MISS KAREN COOK



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NADINE BENTON*

*BEST
SCHOOL SPIRIT*

*RUSSELL WELLS
ANITA CALLOWAY*



*MOST
TALENTED*

*KENNY HALL
SAMANTHA BEASLEY*



FRIENDLIEST

*REGGIE GRAVES
LAURA TALLEY*





BEST LOOKING

*EMMITT BOXLEY
KAREN COOK*

MOST POPULAR

*BILL SHOULDERS
SAMANTHA BEASLEY*



*BEST
PERSONALITY*

*JAVON FRANCIS
LAURA TALLEY*



*MOST
LIKELY TO
SUCCEED*

*BILL SHOULDERS
KIM HARRELL*





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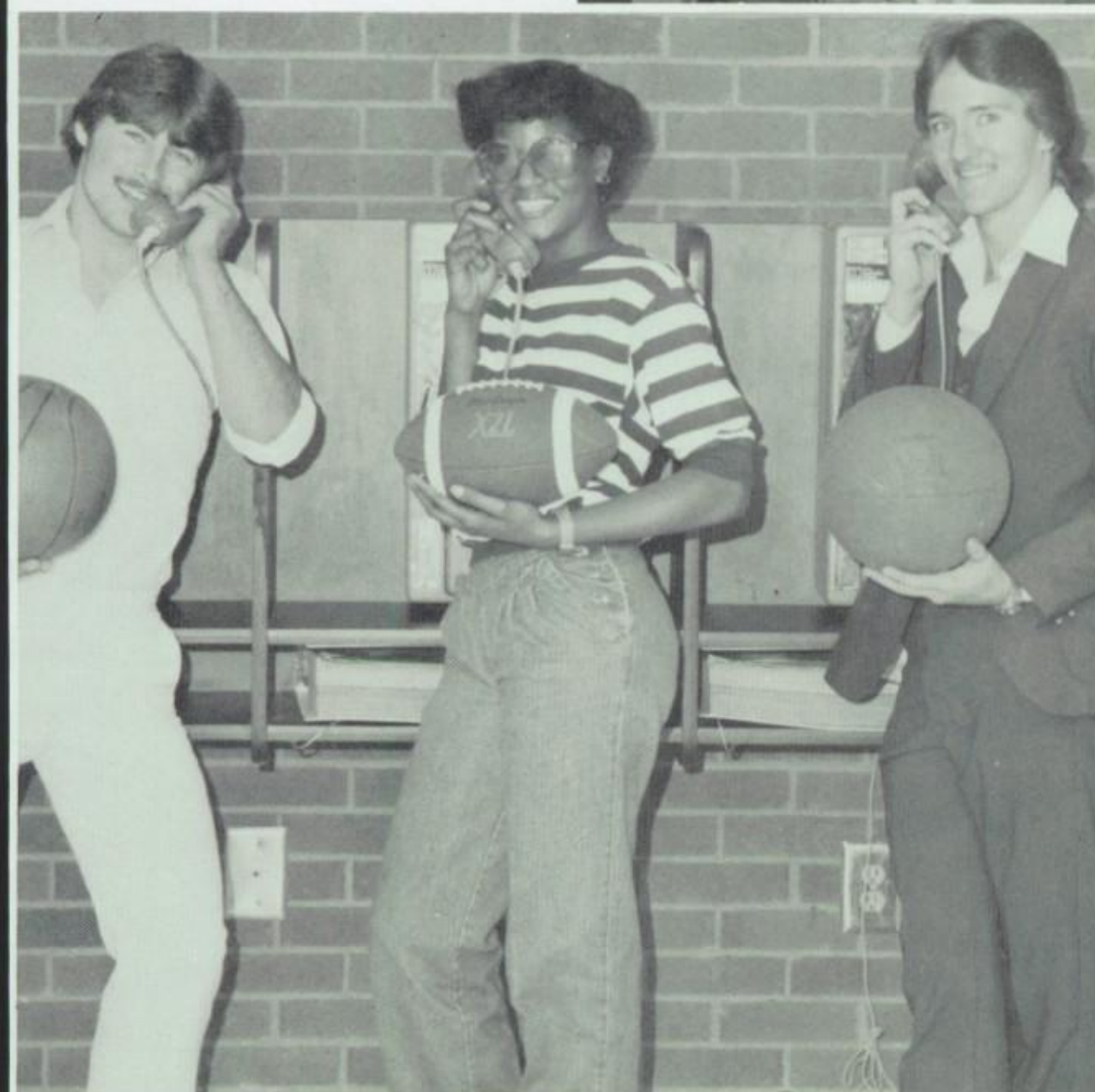
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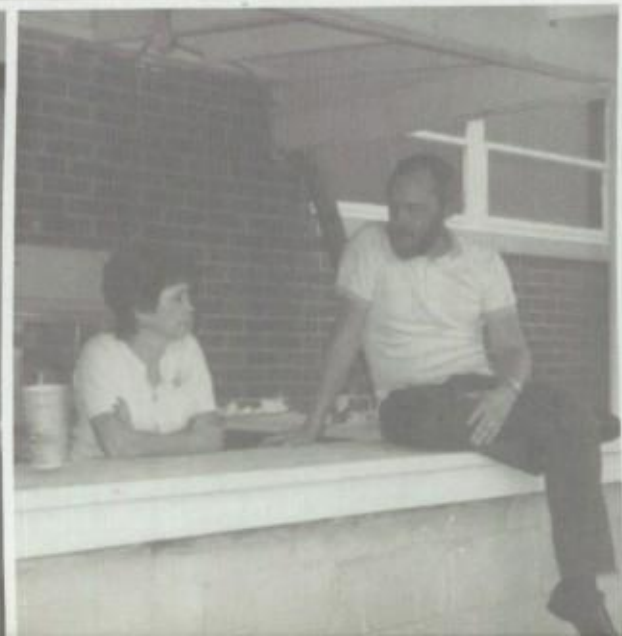
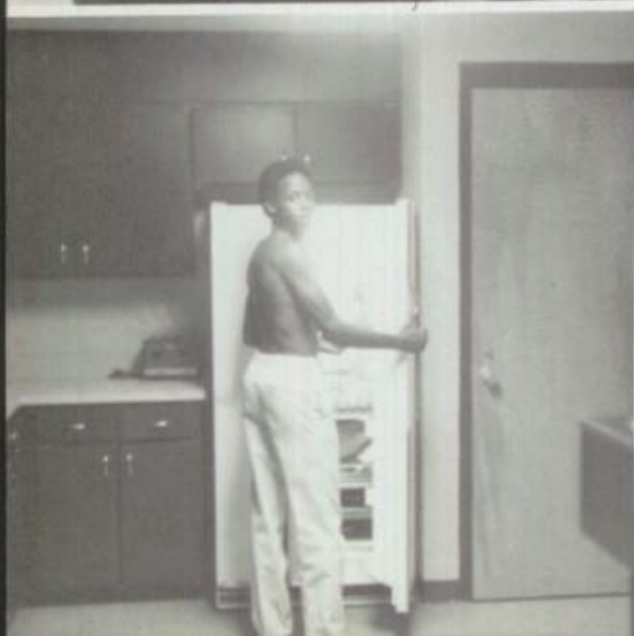
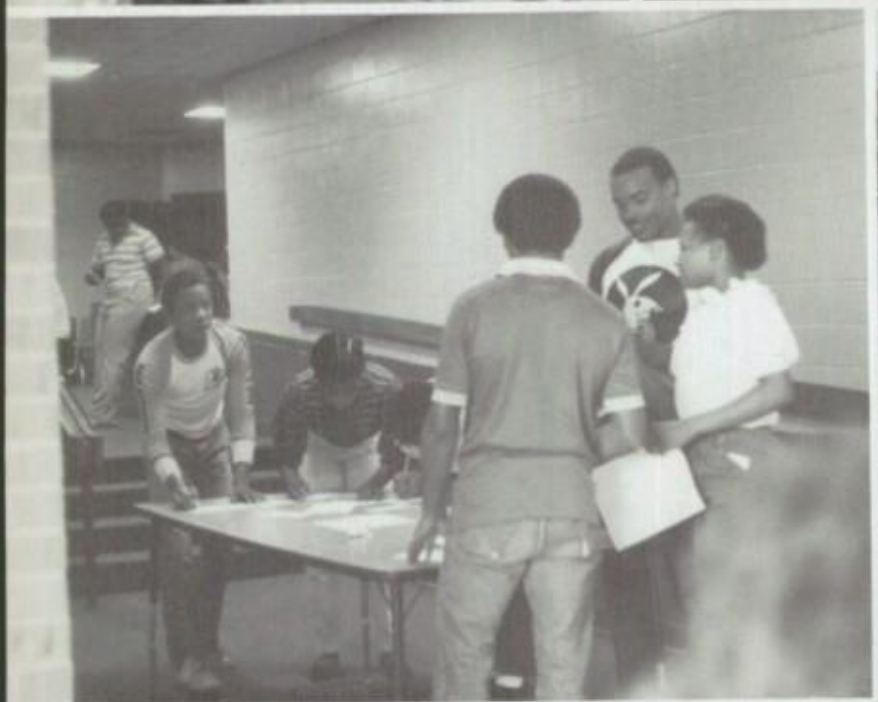
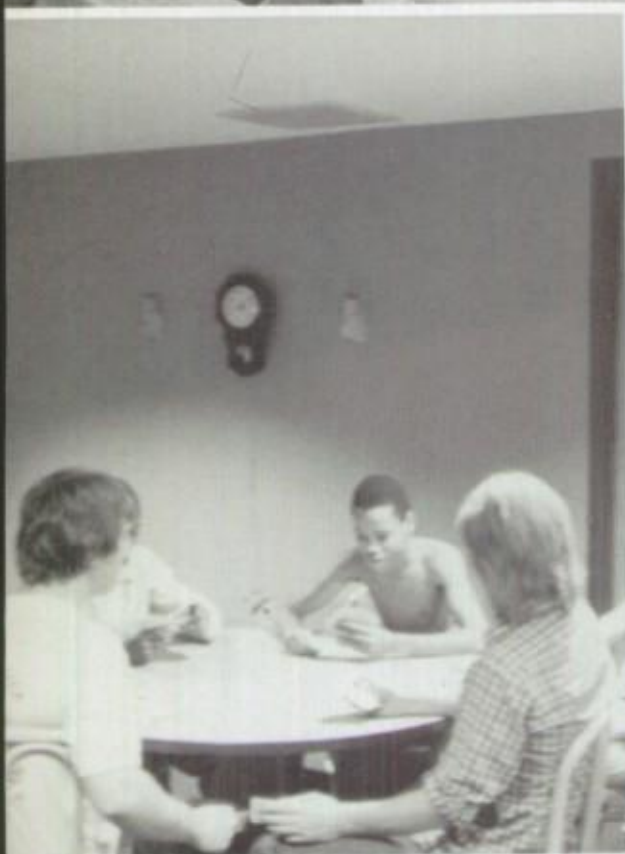
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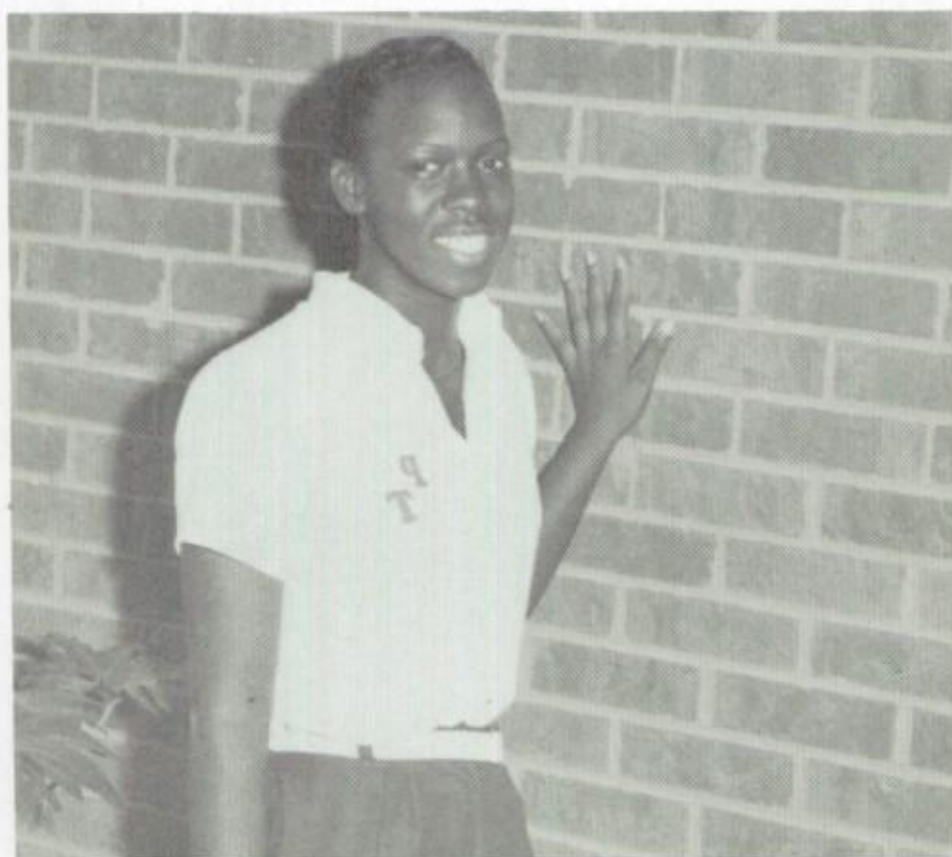




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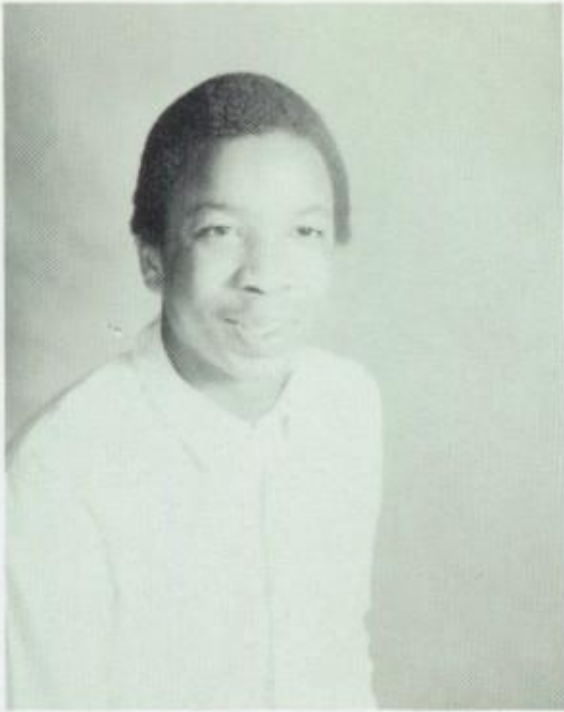
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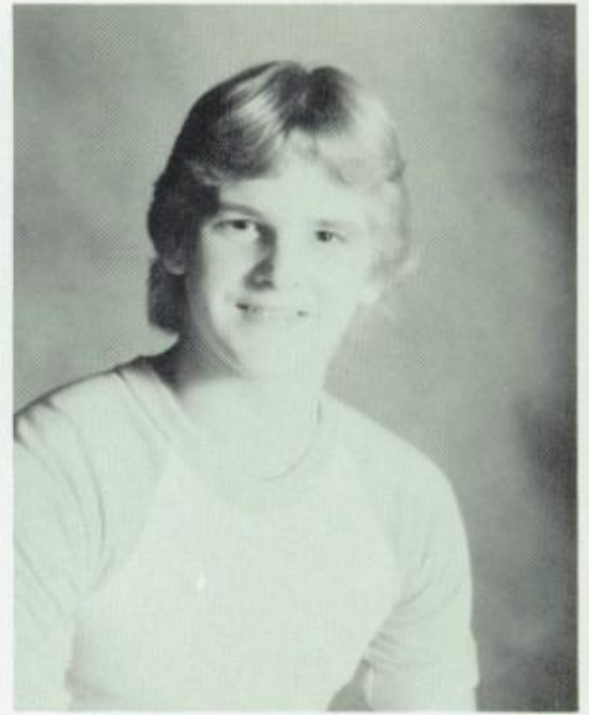
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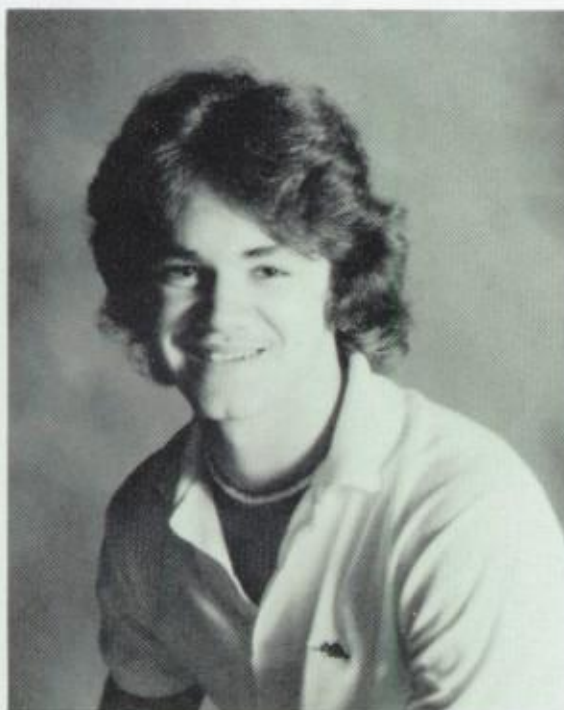
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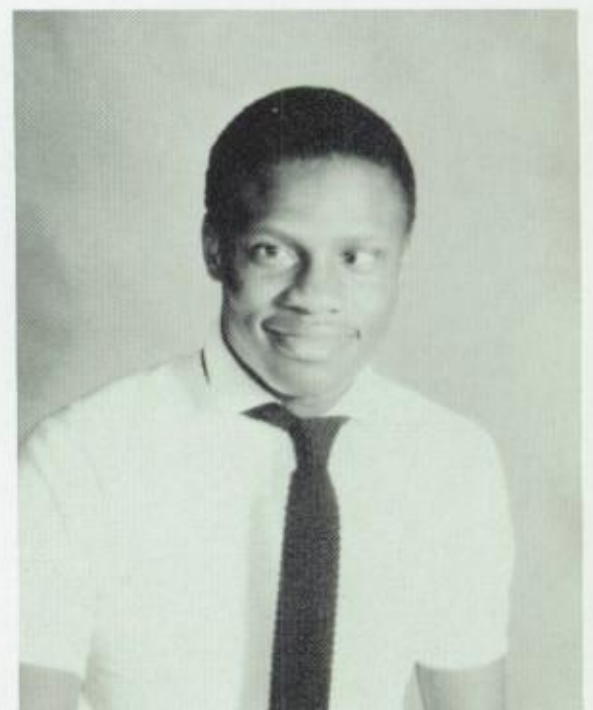
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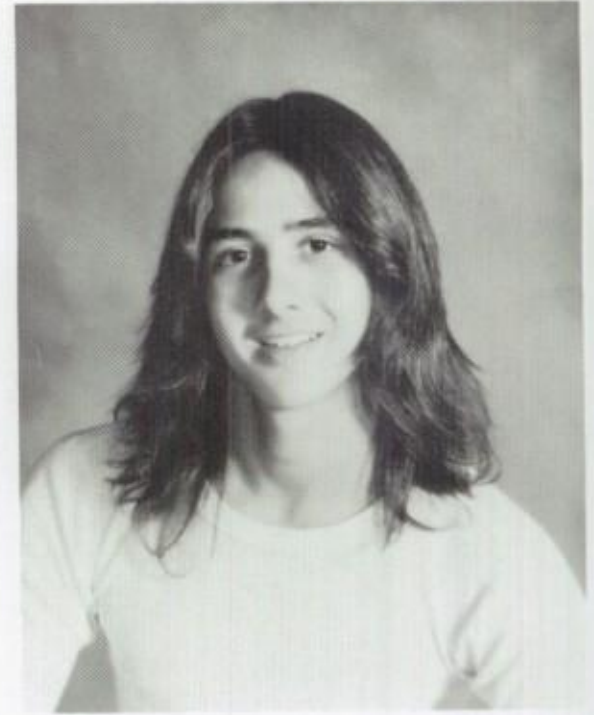


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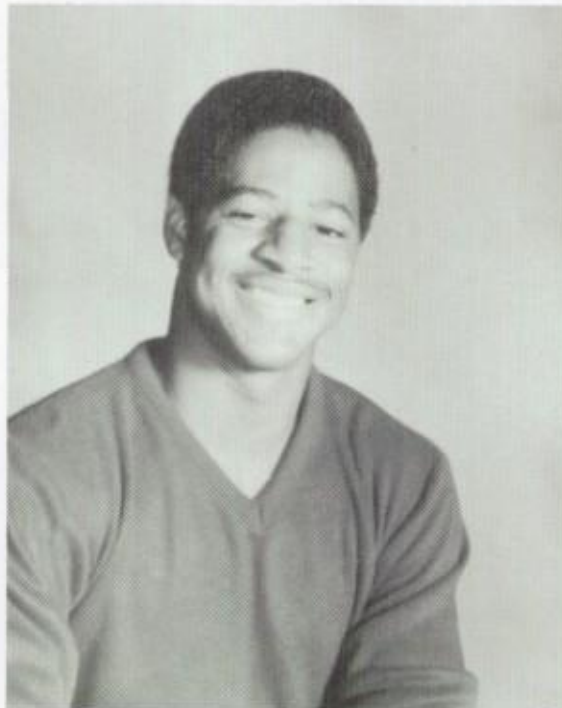


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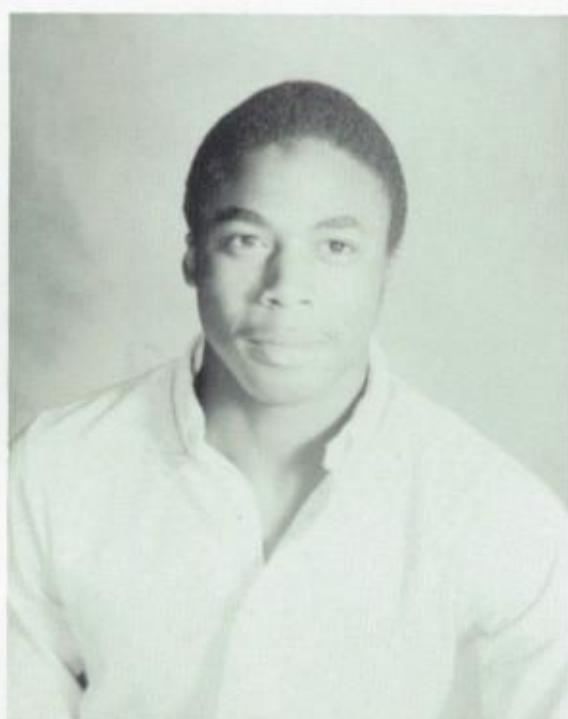




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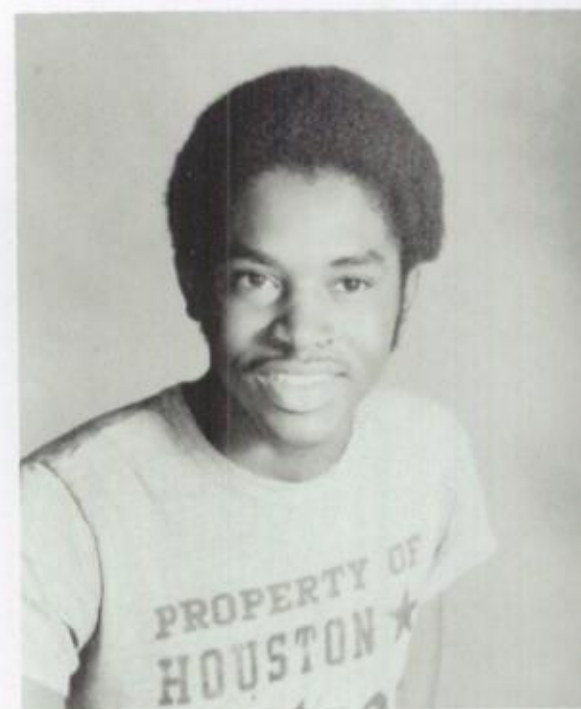


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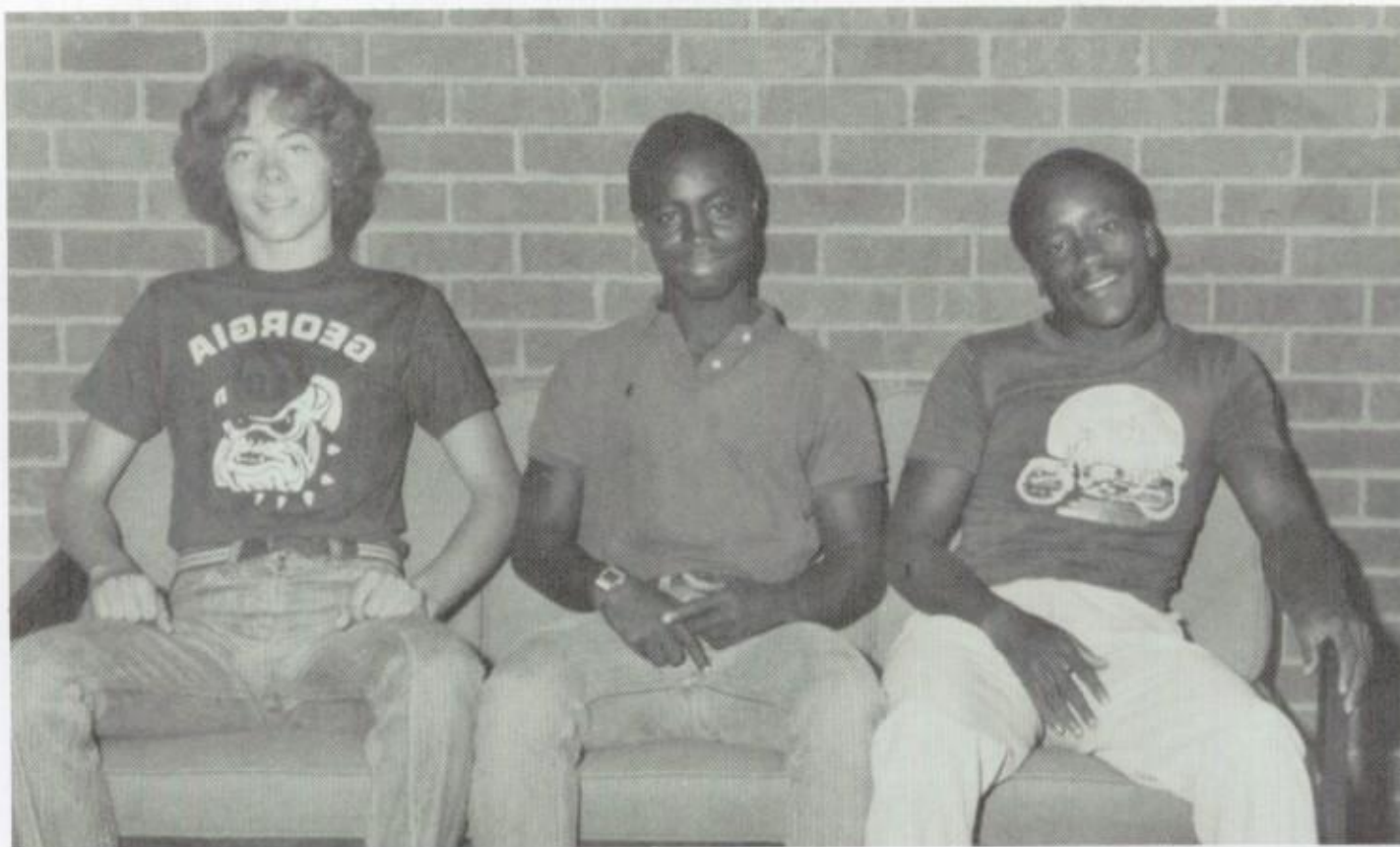
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SOPHOMORES



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JAMIE BULLARD
WILLIE BURTON
JAMES BUSH
MARY CARROLL
TERRY CHEIRS



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LISA BOND
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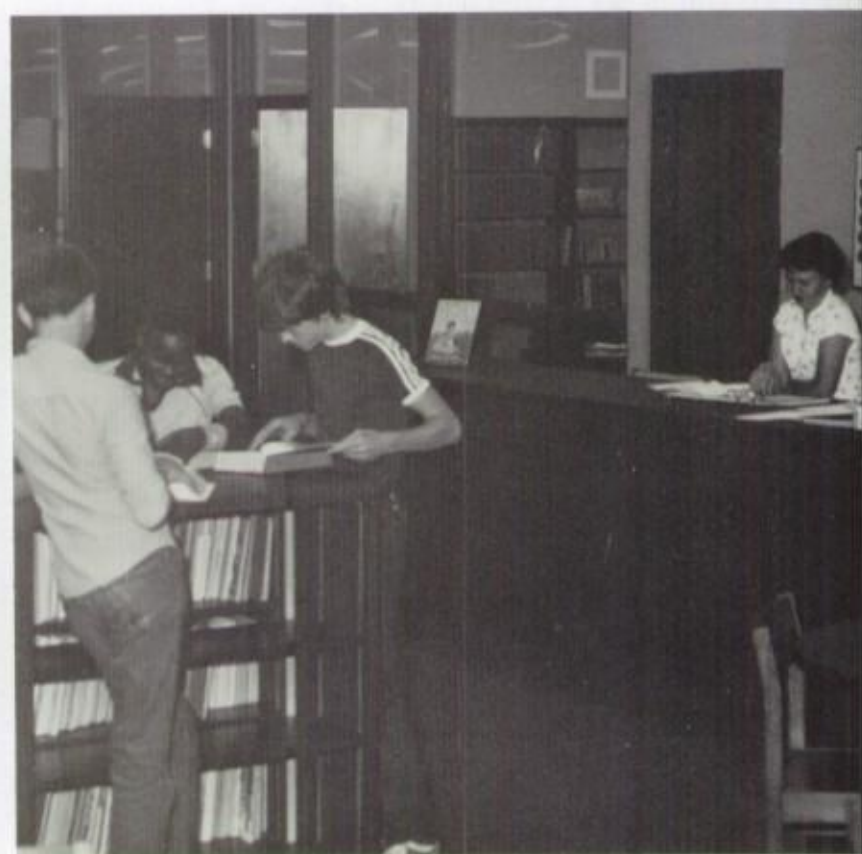
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TRACI LAWSON

Work And Eat





Parade



HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

MR. JOHN BUNNELL

Mr. John Bunnell, a native of Hart County, Kentucky, joined the high school faculty in August, 1979. He taught before becoming principal March 10, 1980. He came to TPS from Humboldt, Tennessee, where he had worked as teacher, counselor, and principal. Mr. Bunnell is endeavoring to provide capable leadership for his faculty and students by setting a good example of patience, understanding, and love.

FACULTY



Mr. Paul Barnard — V.L.L.



Mrs. Delores Birdwell — Health and Economics

Mrs. Nancy Brittle — Mathematics



Ms. Sandra Carter — Remedial Reading

FACULTY



Mr. Leon Cathey — General Metals



Mr. Ricky Cathey — Chemistry, General Math and Science



Mrs. Virginia Coleman — Home Economics



Mrs. Joanne Cotton — Guidance Counselor

FACULTY



Mrs. Sherry Cummings — English



Mr. Tom Davidson — History



Mr. John Duke — Art



Mr. Charles Fields — General Building Trades

FACULTY



Mr. John L. Fuqua — History & P.E.



Mr. James Gaylor — Driver Education



Mr. John Green — Printing



Mrs. Betty Jo Hackett — Physical Education

FACULTY



Mr. L.D. Hackett — Auto Mechanics



Mr. John Harrell — V.I.P.



Mrs. Betty Judd — Biology — General Science



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Mrs. Aldamedia Landiss — Librarian



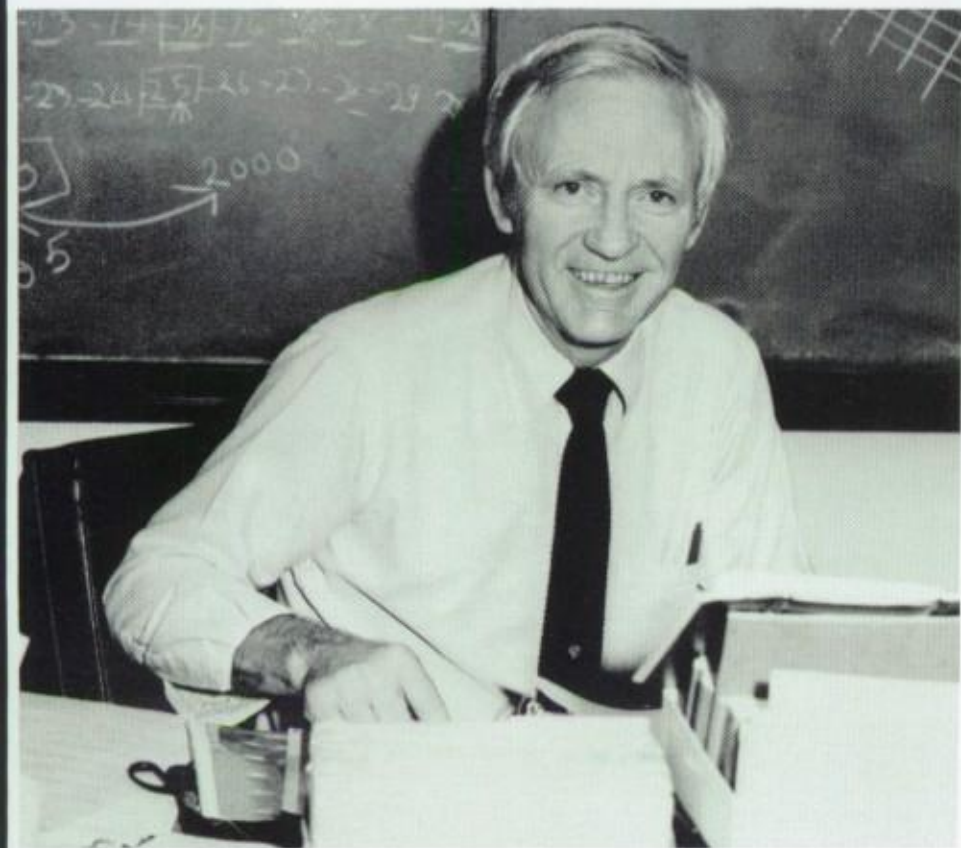
Mr. Joe Nave — Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Annette Spitzer — English



FACULTY



Mr. Gerald Williams — Math



Mrs. Fredricka Wilson — Business Education

Mr. Paul Wilson — Coordinating Teacher



Mrs. Emma Cathey — Math Aide



Mrs. Novella Frame — Reading Aide

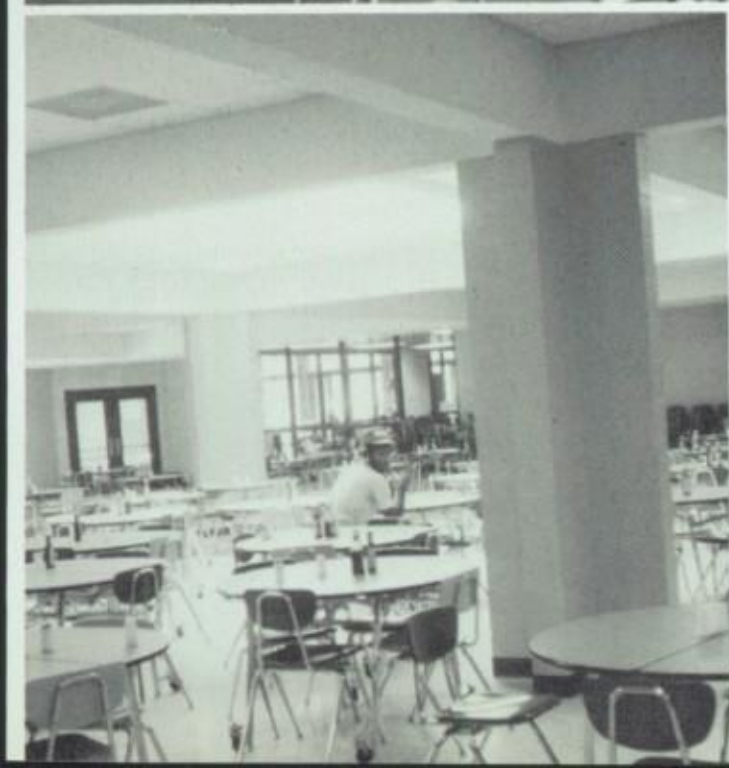
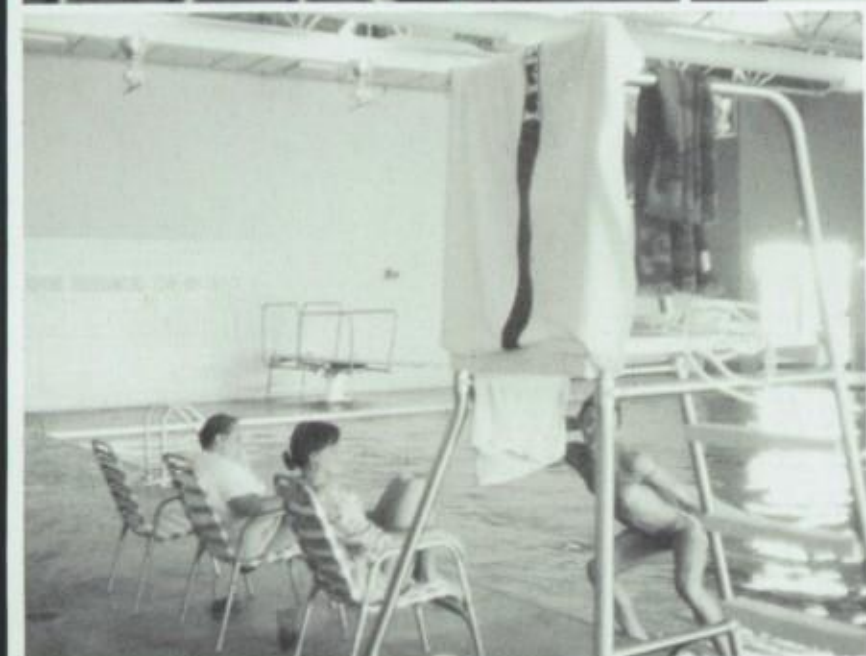


Ms. Linda Wilson — V.L.L. Aide



Mrs. Katherine Fletcher — High School Secretary

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*Not Pictured — Mrs. Blaine Strange — Speech Therapist HS
& Middle School*





MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

MR. BURRELL CROWELL

Mr. Burrell Crowell, a native of Beech Grove, Tennessee, began his work at Tennessee Preparatory School with the 1967-68 school year. He had previously served as principal of Connelly Junior High School, Lewisburg, Tennessee. The Middle School has made much progress under his direction and he has provided capable leadership for both students and teachers.

FACULTY



Mrs. Barbara Biggs — Language Arts



Mr. Charles Brinkley — Science



Mr. J.D. Burke — Social Studies



Mr. Jerry Clay — Reading



Mrs. Faye Ford — Art & Music



Mrs. Sara Gaylor — Language Arts



Ms. Trevor Holt — Reading



Mr. Gene Lewis — Chapter 1 Math

FACULTY



Mrs. Carey Paris — Mathematics



Mrs. Katherine Neighbors — Librarian

Mrs. Dell Lewis — Chapter 1 Reading Aide



Mrs. Nancy Minor — Chapter 1 Math Aide





Mrs. Linda Duncan — Secretary

"Okay" We got caught this time.



I would sit down but it hurts.

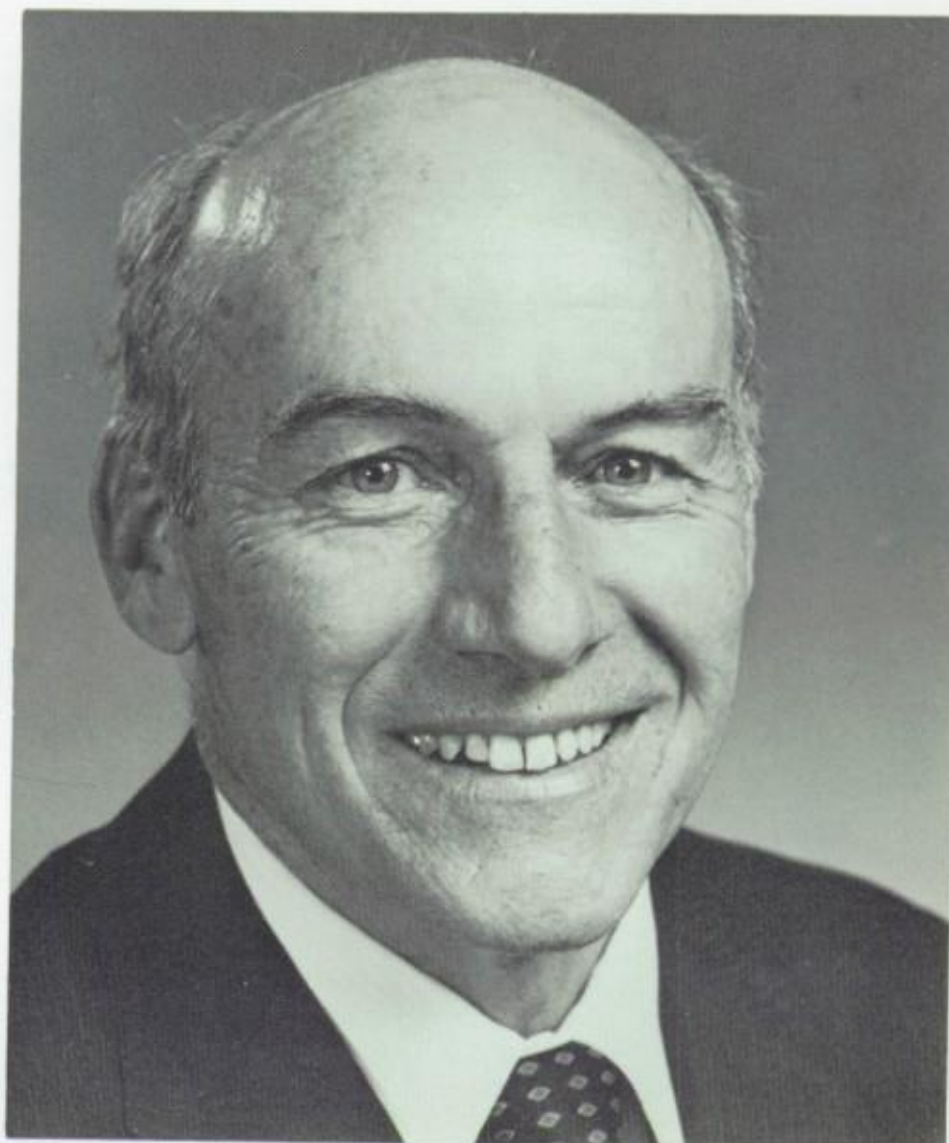


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*Robert L. McElrath
Commissioner Of Education*



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Dr. A. Jack Rumbaugh

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF STATE SPECIAL SCHOOLS

Dr. Rumbaugh came to Tennessee Preparatory School with experience as an Administrator and teacher in inner city and rural schools in Ohio. He completed a bachelor of Science Degree in Education at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio. He also received a Masters Degree at Youngstown State University, and a Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Administration at George Peabody College for Teachers, Vanderbilt University. While in school, Dr. Rumbaugh's career objective was to serve in an educational setting in a position that would provide an opportunity for influence and improve the quality of educational opportunity for all children. Dr. Rumbaugh has also instituted several changes in the TPS program including a PIP Appeals Committee and the Superintendent's Advisory Council.

In June, 1982 Dr. Rumbaugh was named the Executive Director of State Special Schools. He is charged with the administrative responsibilities for the four special schools. Tennessee Preparatory School, Tennessee School for the Blind, Tennessee School for the Deaf, and York Agricultural Institute. The challenges facing Dr. Rumbaugh and the State Specials Schools call for innovative leadership and new direction.

He has also served as a consultant on various committees dealing with child care. He and Mrs. Rumbaugh have two sons, David and Michael. Mrs. Rumbaugh is a registered nurse and both boys attend schools in Dickson County.



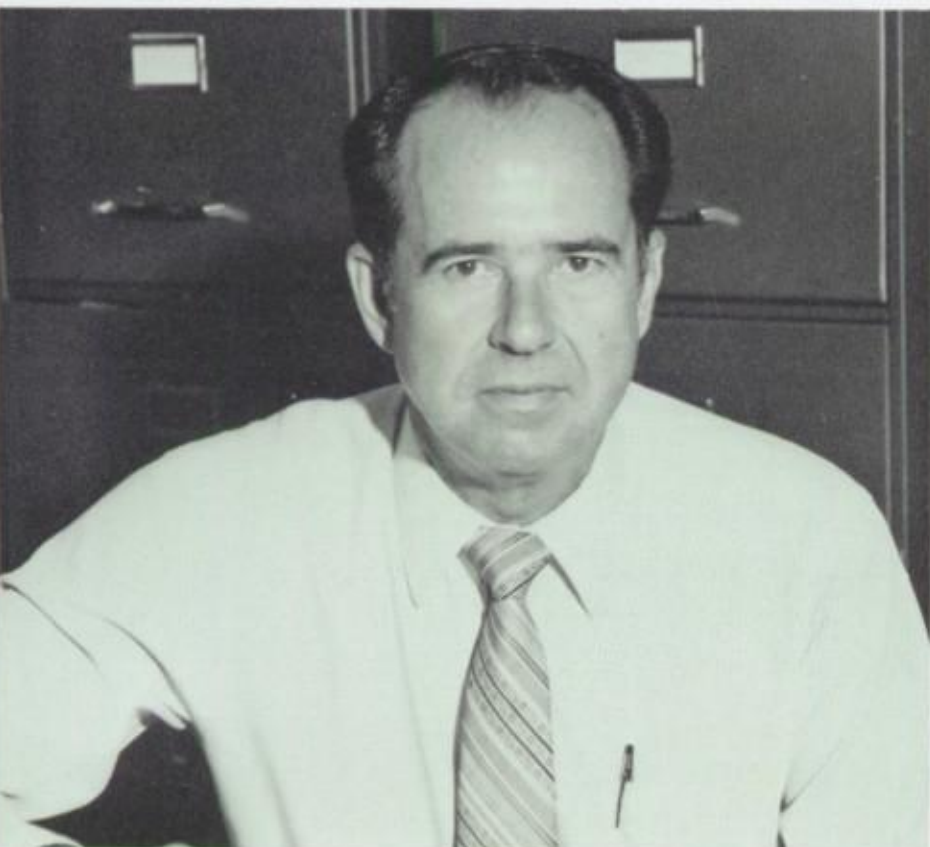
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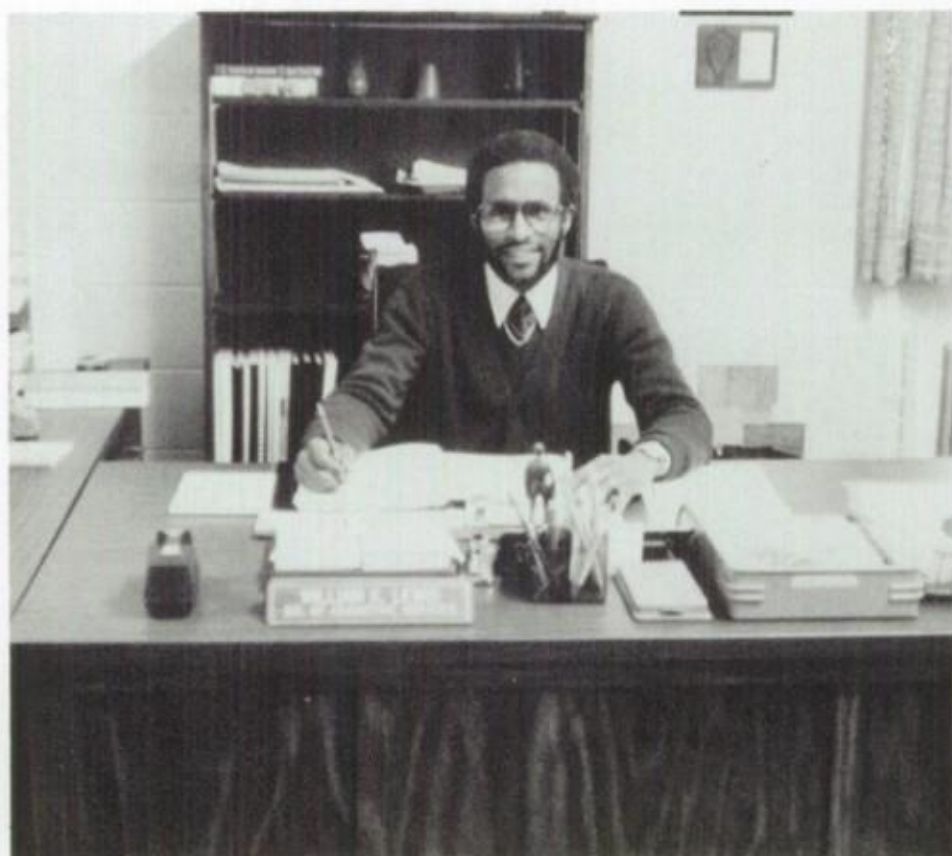
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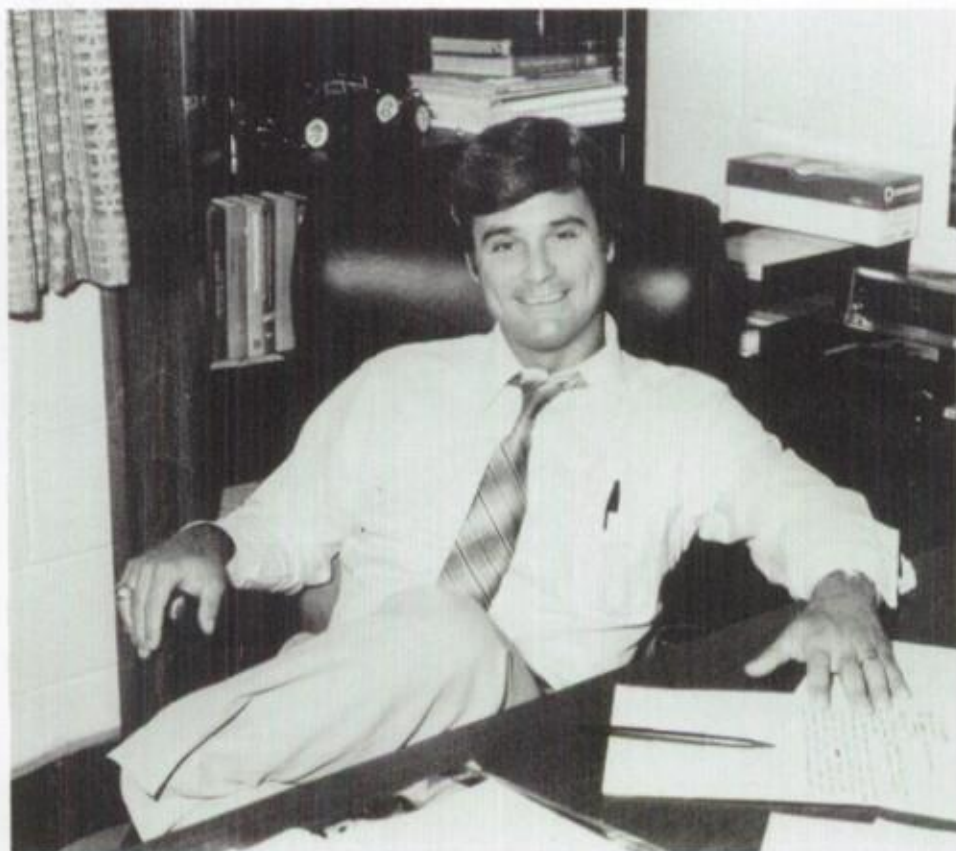
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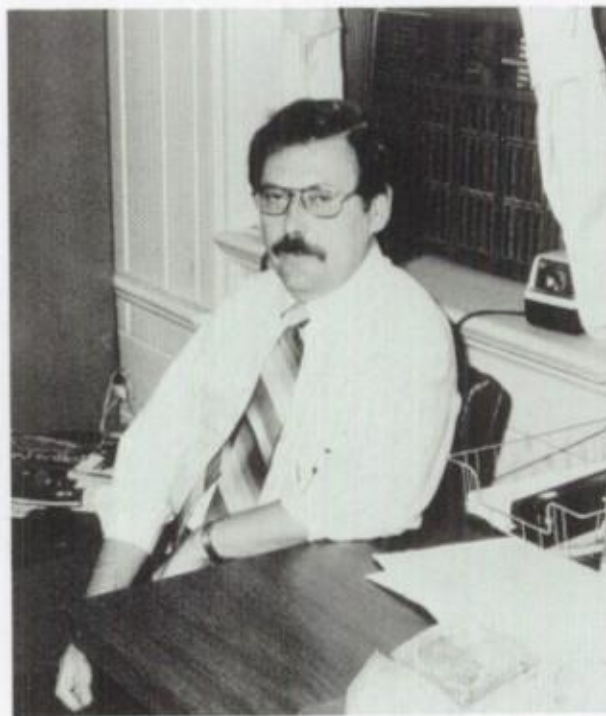


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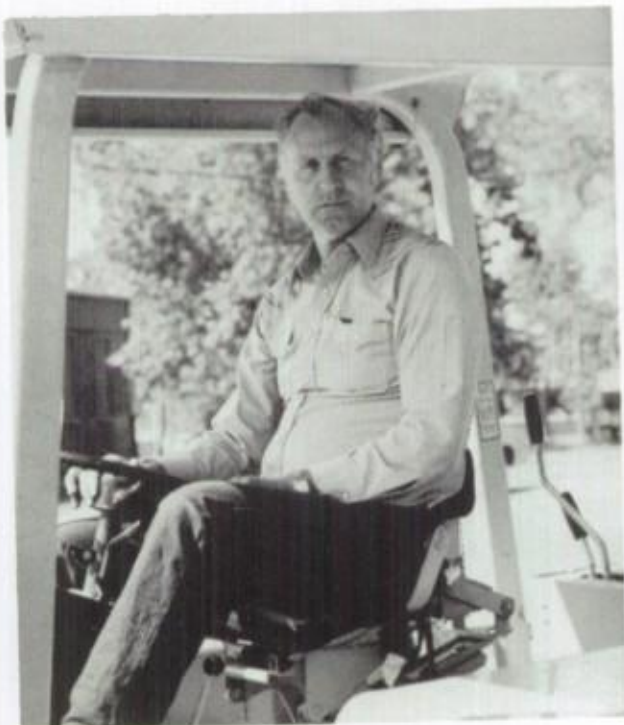


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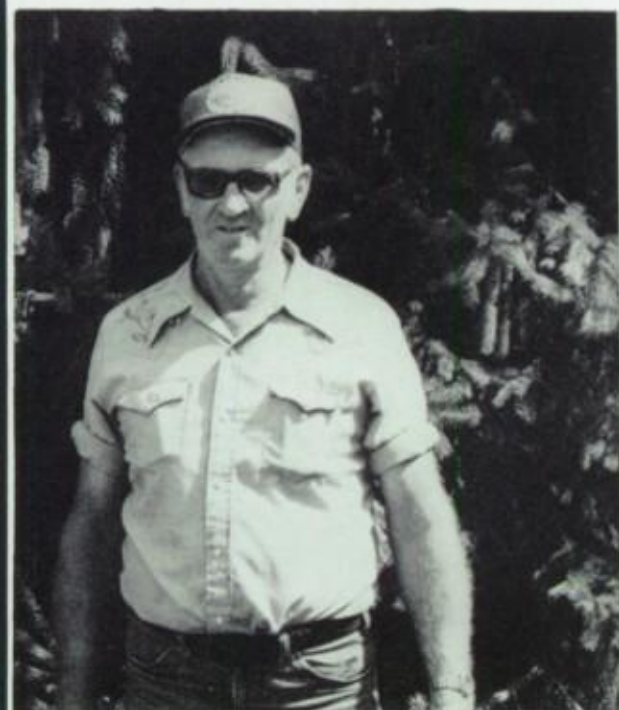
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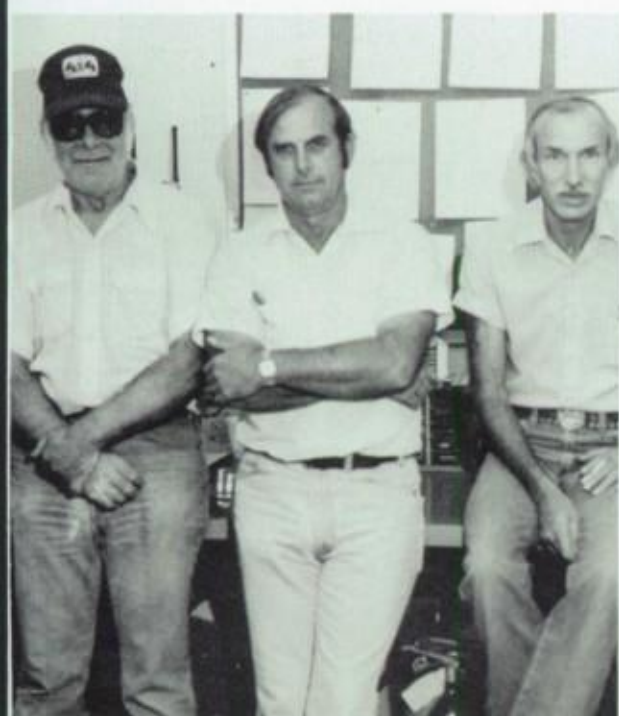
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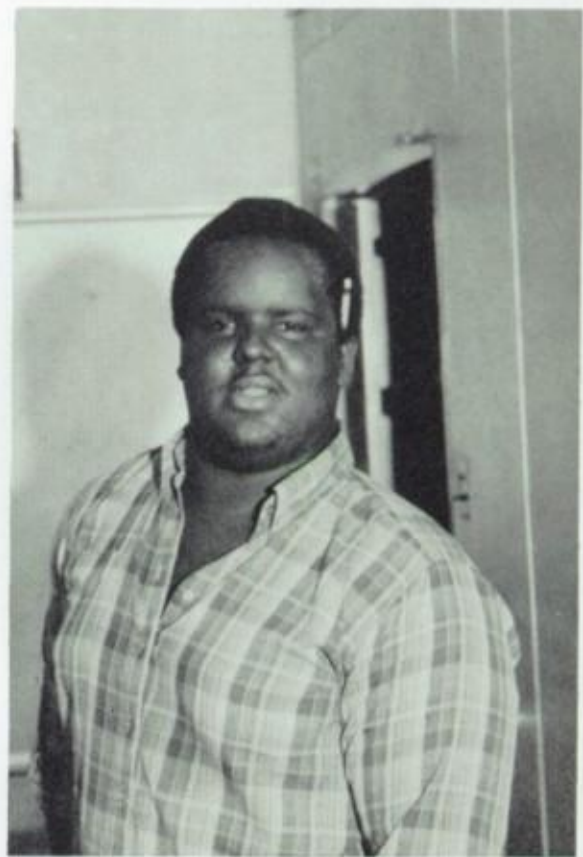
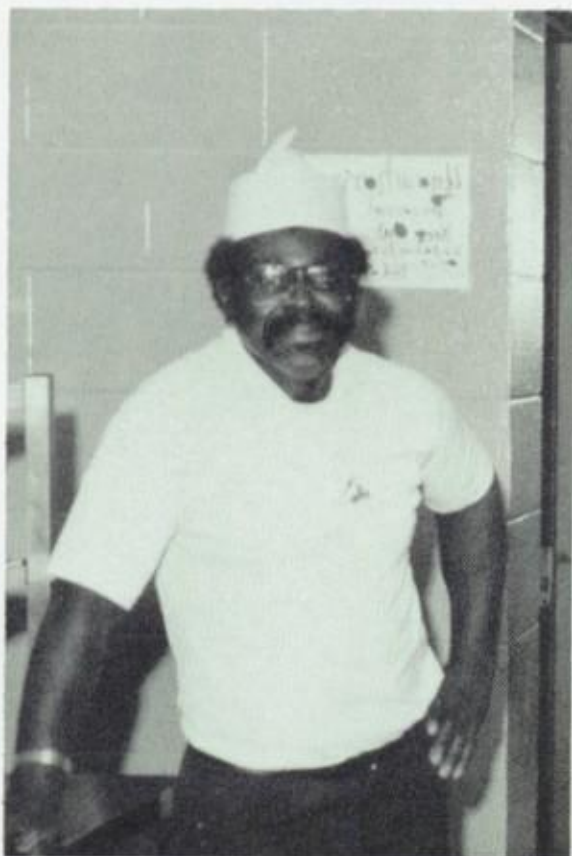


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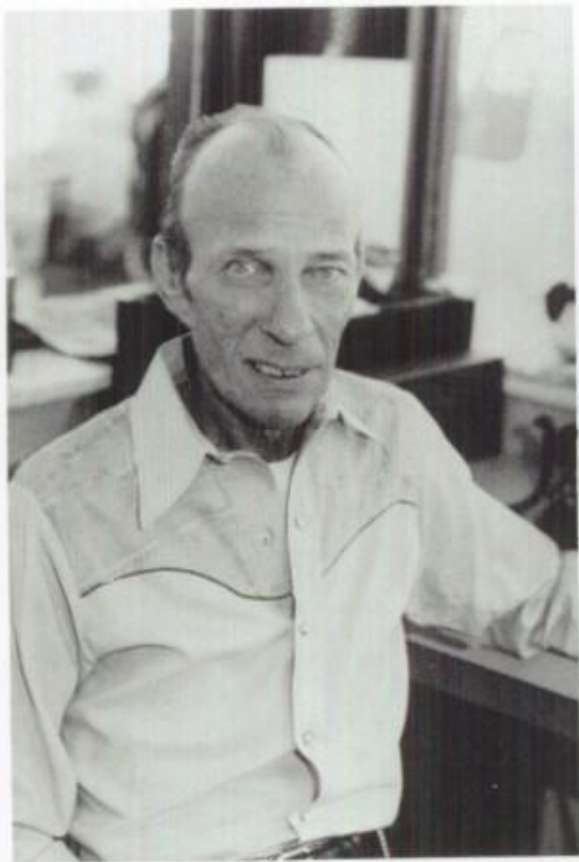
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Dawn Samuelson



Mike Sullivan

SECURITY

Dave Scott



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Ms. Bryant
Ms. Jeffery
Mr. Foster
Mr. Cliard*

*Mr. Reid
Mr. Russell
Mr. Davis
Mr. Gill*

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Jewel Scott



Warner & Judy Casey

Lucky & Vonnie Cowart



Jerome McCullough

Mrs. Joyce Debardelaben





Jerry & Carol Winkle



Mrs. Alexine Hall



John & Debra Small



Jack & Vickie Carey



Michael & Lynn Wigington

Flossie Turner



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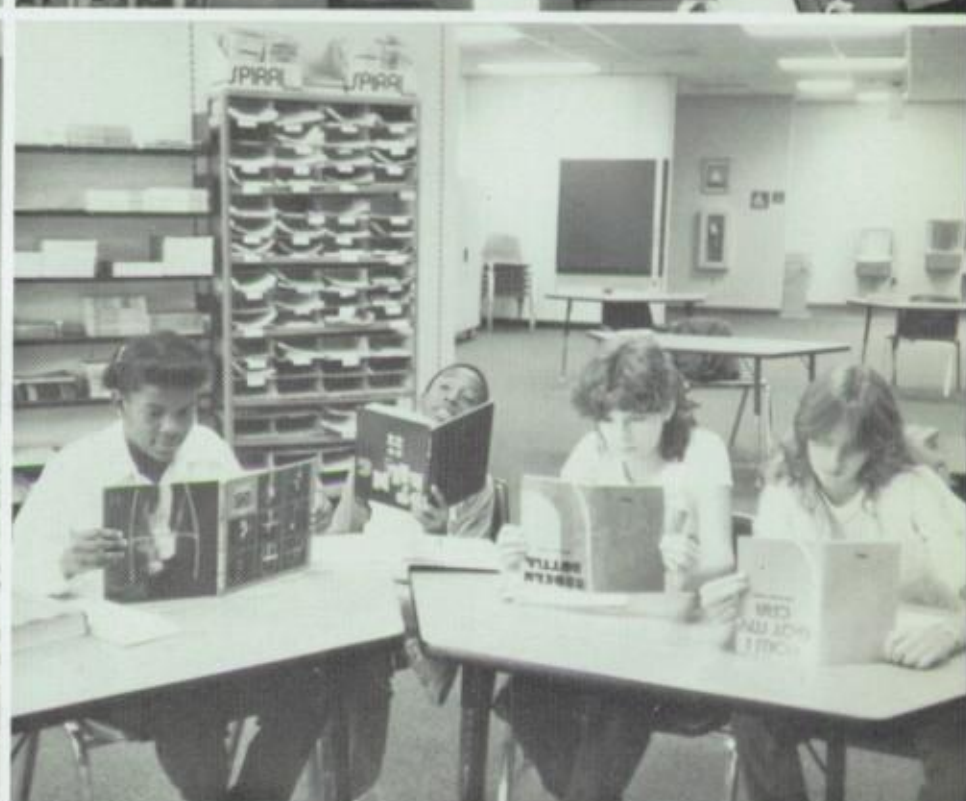


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Mrs. Ruby Hall







Front row: Brenda Hoyle, Karen Cook, Cynthia Hale

Back row: Paul Barnard, Javon Francis, Willy McElroy, Kenneth Hall, Jason Farmer, Russell Wells and Sherry Cummings.

1984 YEARBOOK STAFF

FCA

Front row: Bill Shoulders, Terry Dill, Joe Thompson, Chiffonda Washington, Jeff Boxley

Back row: Paul Wilson, Terry Lening, Reggie Graves, Anthony Avery, Russell Wells, Darrell Turner





Jody Esquillo, John Harrell, Kenny Reed

CONCESSION CLUB



Mia Walker, Loretta Anderson, Victor Wilbourn, Rose Talley, Glen Owens, Robert Talley, Barbara Walker, Charles Shaver

MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSPAPER STAFF

BOY SCOUTS

Cottrell Onidas, Herbert Alexander, Chiffonda Washington, Gene Lewis, Orlando Hobson





First row: Stevie Thacker

Second row: Cottrell Onidas, Hubbard Alexander

*Third row: Chiffonda Washington, Elmer Thomas,
Jerry Alexander*

Fourth row: Jerry Carroll, George Nichols, Orlando Hobson, Jimmy McElderry

BOYS SCOUTS

left to right

*First row: Victor Wilbourn, Robert Cook, David Cavette, Jason Fisher, James Knight, Craig Wiseman
Stevie Thacker*

*Second row: Jerry Johnson, Bobby Blakely, Cottrell Onidas, James Strunk, Elmer Thomas, Chiffonda
Washington, Hubbard Alexander*

*Third row: Jerry Carroll, George Nichols, Jimmy McElderry, Orlando Hobson, Ernest Wilson, Jerry
Alexander*





Tina Lewis, Beverly Graves, Samantha Beasley, Angela Finley, Mary Carroll, Donna Berry

GIRL SCOUTS

*Front row: Rose Talley, Regina Kelly, Rena Hale, B.J. Place
Second row: Tonya Douglas, Mary Talley, Kim Hicks, Belinda Lowery*





Reginald and his crew.



Halloween will be here soon.



Some people don't know what attention means.



Now you just take that big boy.

Come on you girls I will if you will.

Let me off! Let me off!





Terry, If you win we will split.



Mr. Adkisson this thing doesn't bite.



Honey, Mind has melted to liquid.

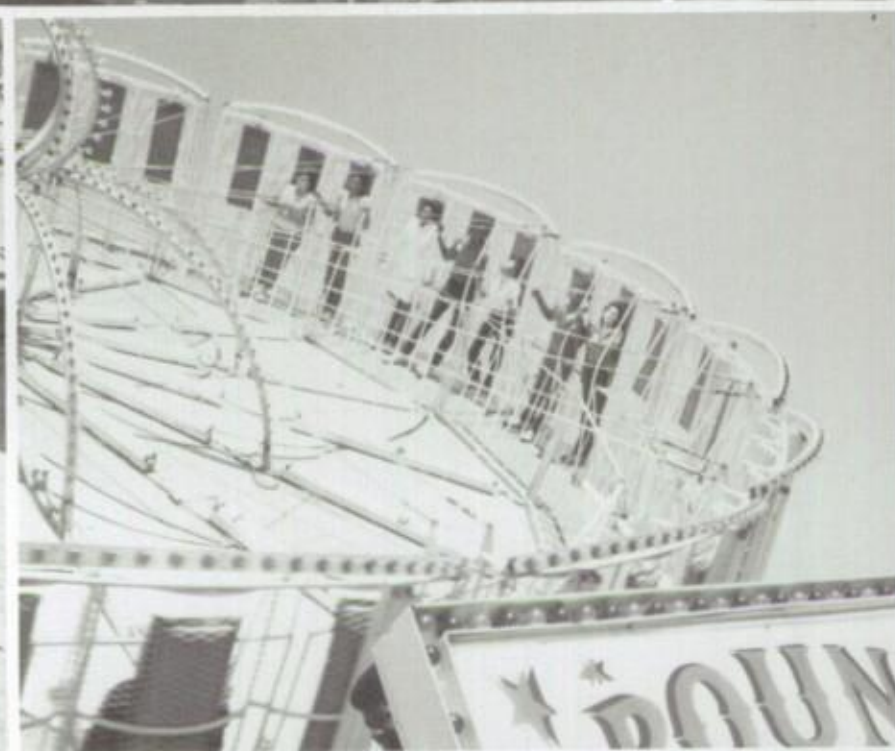
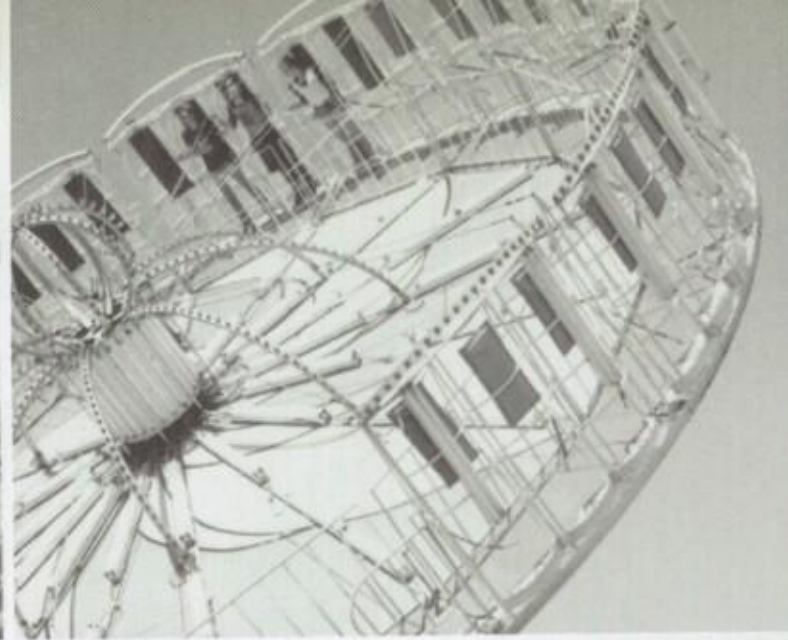


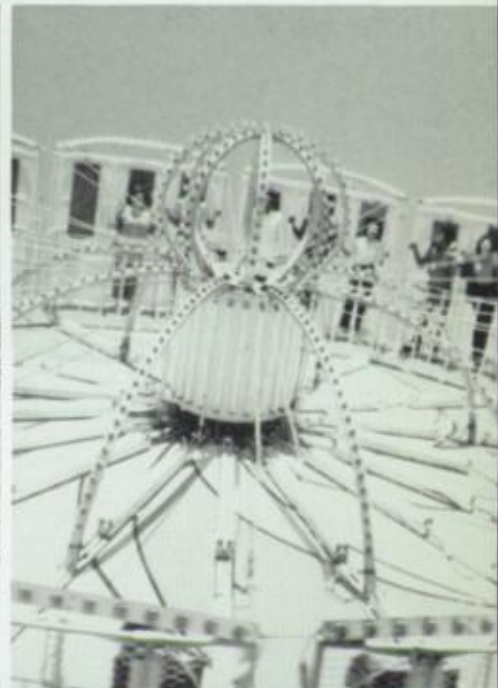
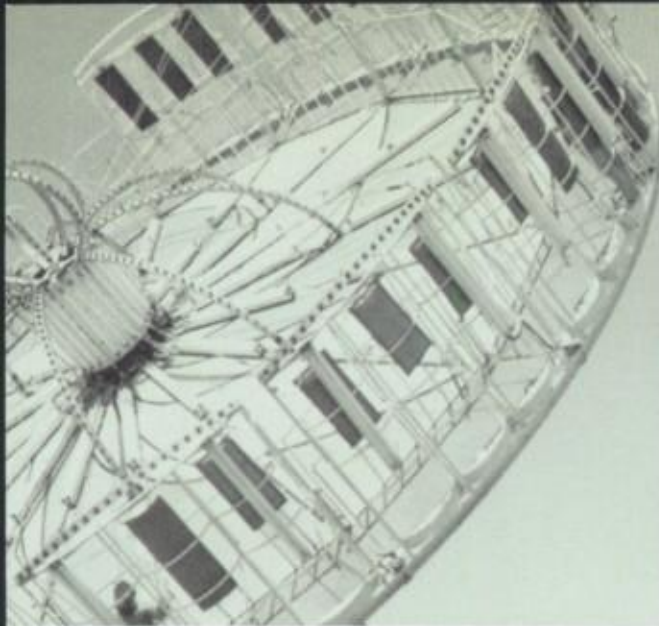
Jerry I think I am going to you know what.

Look mom no hands!



Boxley can't wait to get on the next ride.







But Mr. Bunnell that is my sandwich.



Will Mr. Cool please stand up?

Now you put your left foot out then.



Russell that is the funniest thing I ever heard.



Now this is the last time I am going to ask.

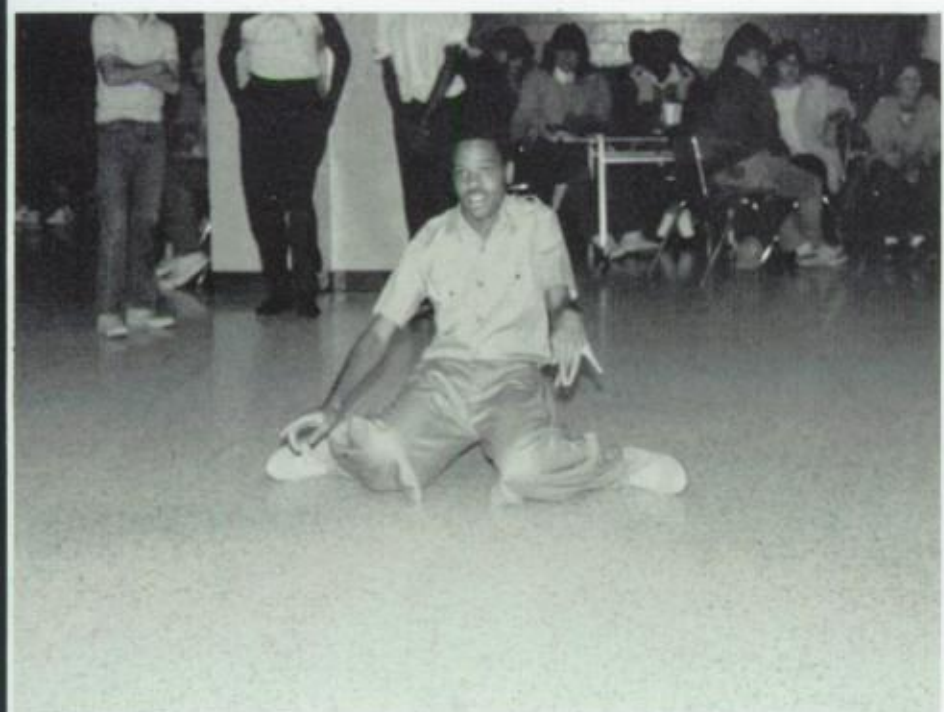




Step #1



Step #2



Step #3



We won! We Won!



I know I counted twenty-one.



What am I going to do? It won't stop.

VOCATIONAL



Greg and Billy putting last coat on.



Kenny try putting a little soap on it.



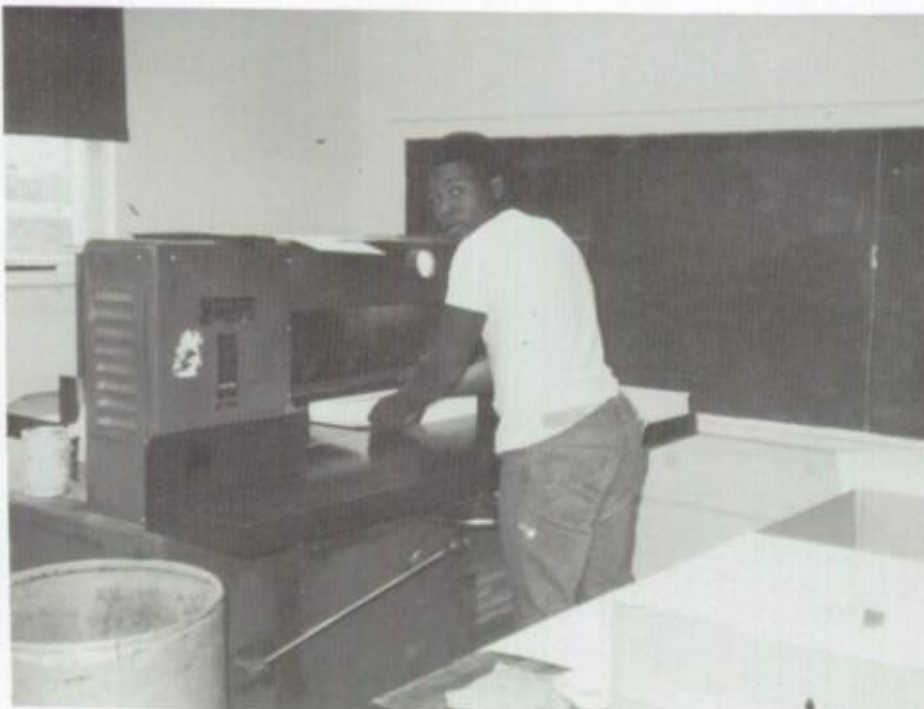
I don't blame you, I would laugh too.

J.R. Mastering the cutter.



Robert Owens showing his master piece.

Barbara you can, you can.



CLASSES



If only Mr. Fields had some help.



Kenneth Hall's masterpiece.



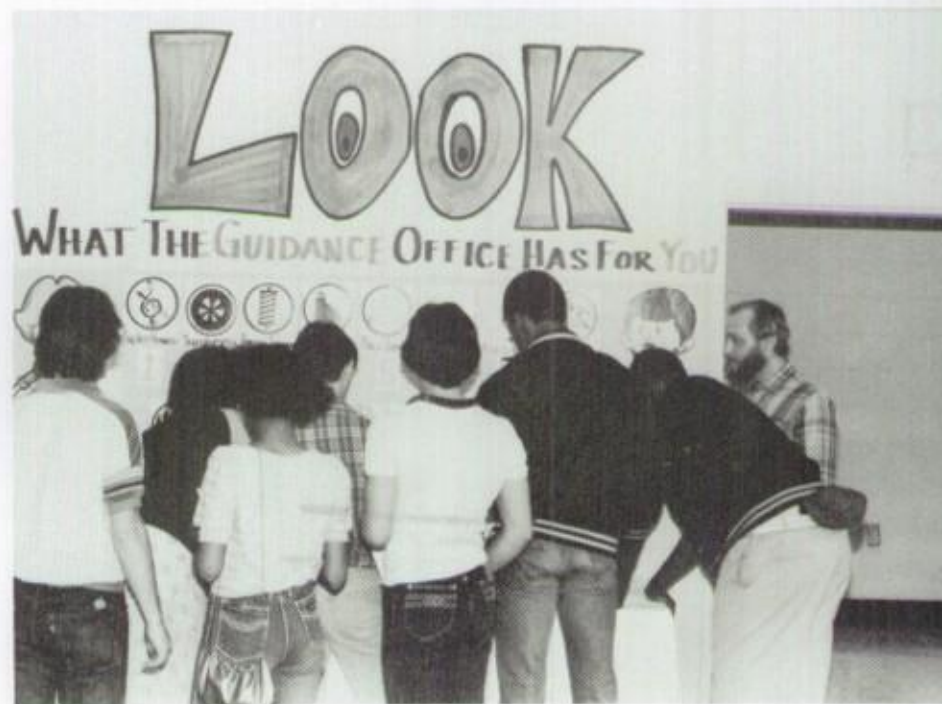
*Robert Owens Little rocking horses.
J.R. and his crew.*

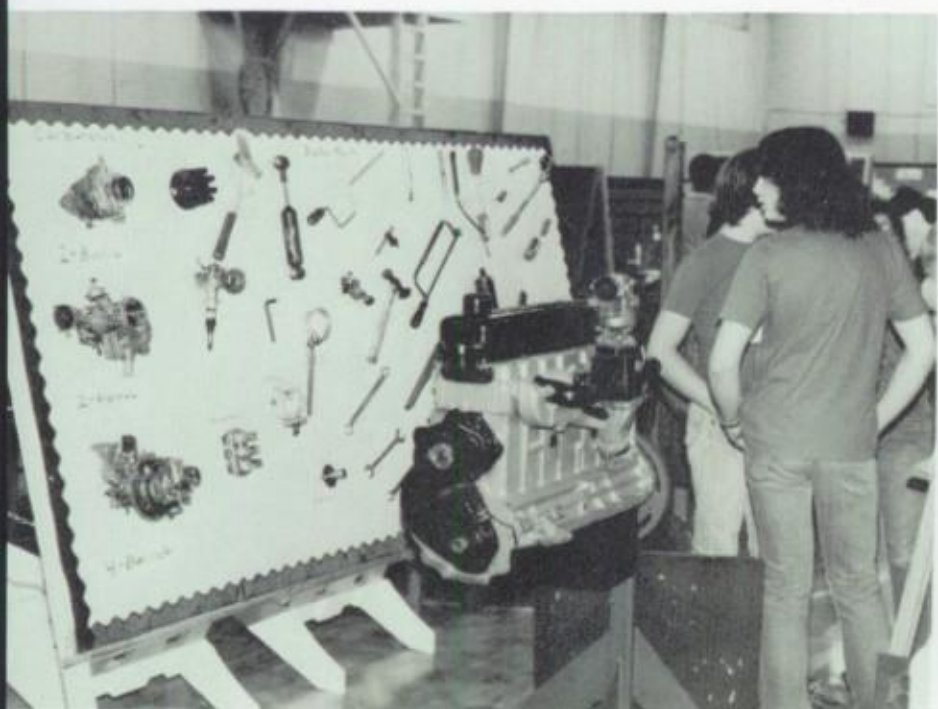


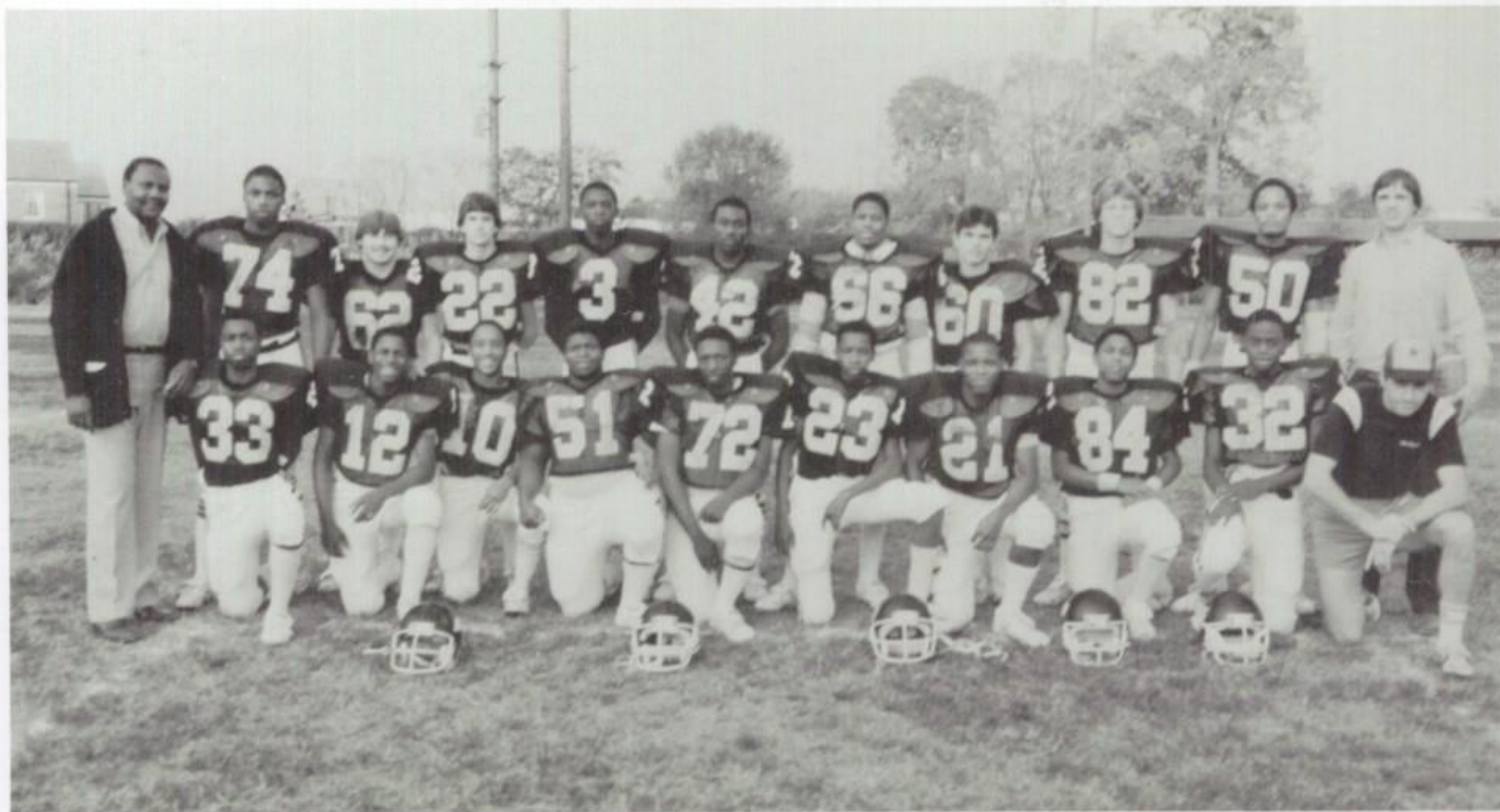
*Billy would you please find me a tire?
Robert Williams cutting out his project.*



ACHIEVEMENT







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Back row: Coach John Fuqua, Wendell Mayes, Bill Shoulders, Jason Farmer, Johnny Johnson, Steve Peterson, Billy Collins, Terry Dill, Russell Wells, Robert Williams, Coach J.D. Burke.

FOOTBALL 1983-84

Front row: Bill Shoulders, Terry Dill

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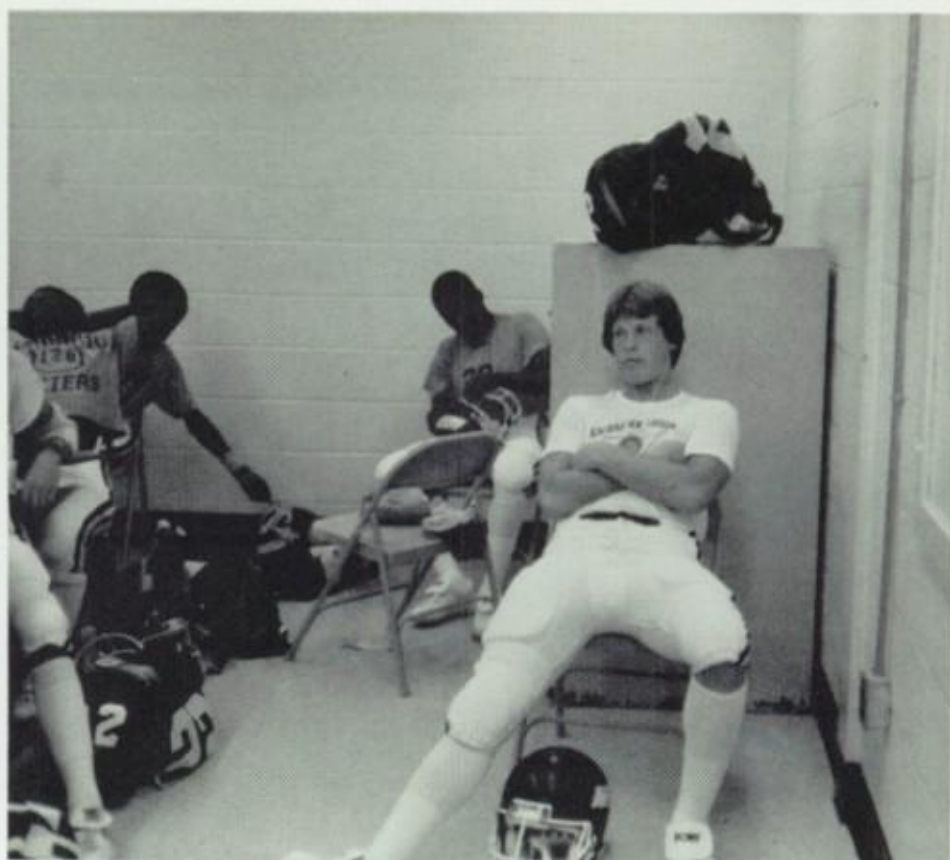
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Fourth and last quarter.



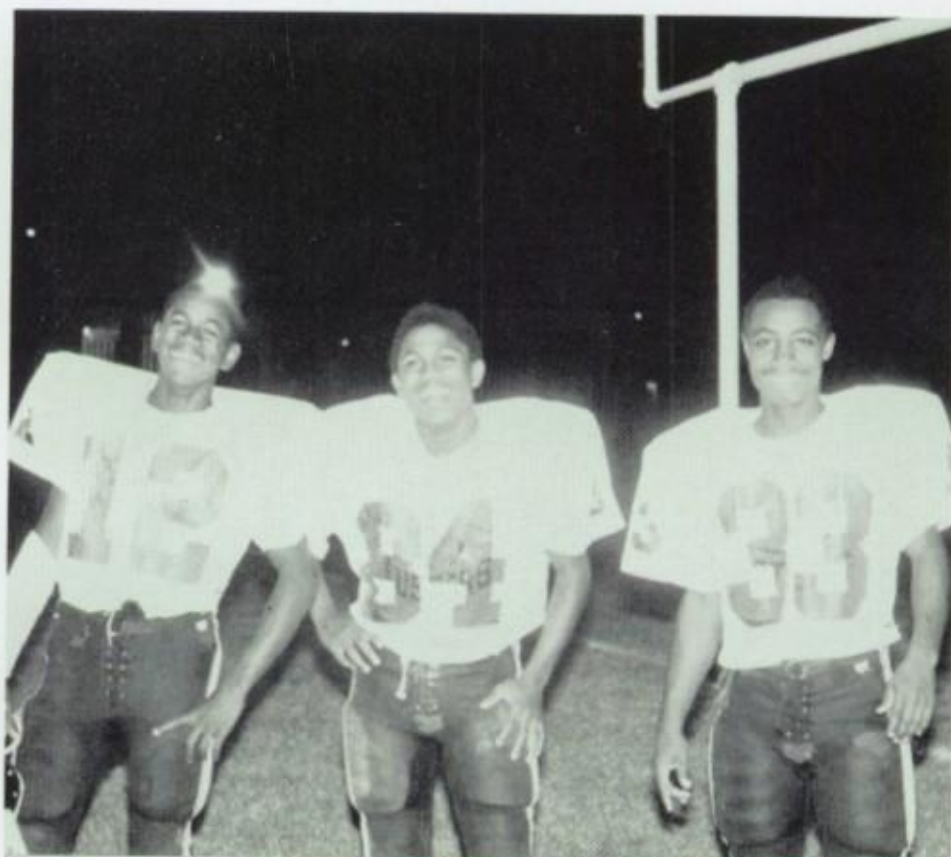
Russell Wells meditating before the game.



*Sweet Victory!
Do Coaches ever Worry?*



*Another Victory to our credit.
The Three Twins.*



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RUSSELL WELLS

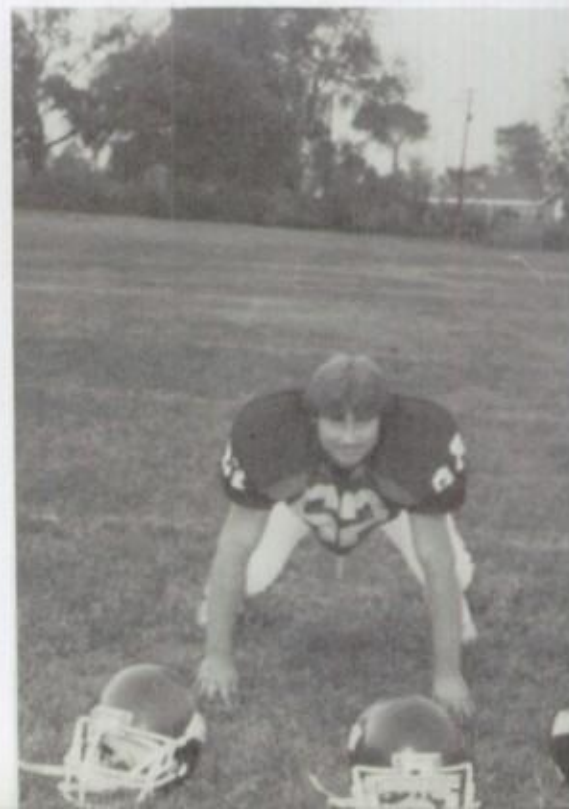


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BILL SHOULDERS





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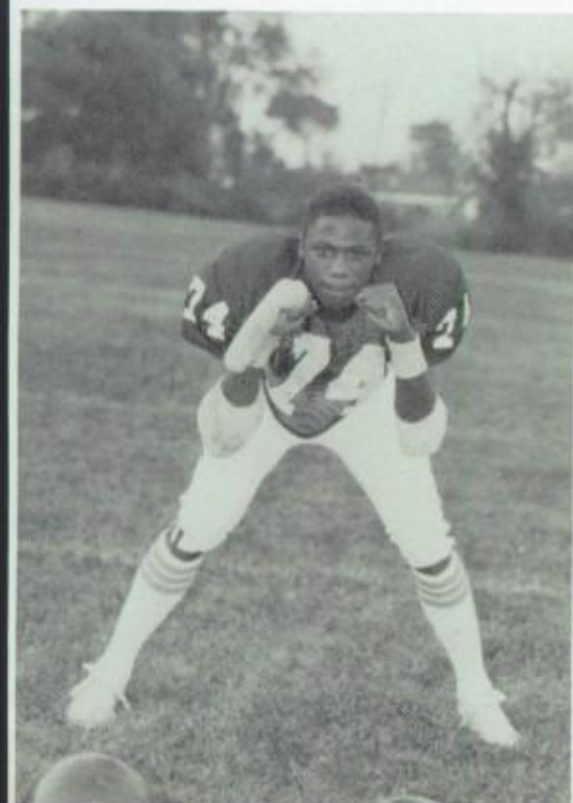


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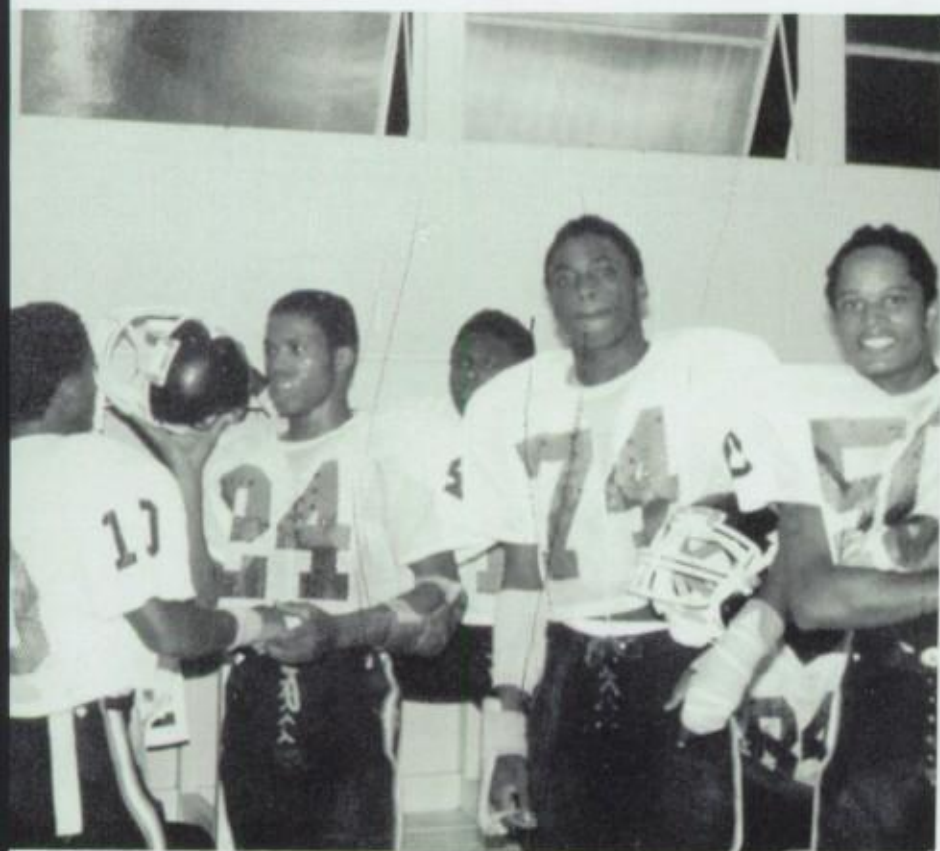


CHIFFONDA WASHINGTON



ROBERT WILLIAMS

FOOTBALL 1983-84





Left to Right: Marcella Scoggins, Ann Shelby, Tina Lewis, Anita Calloway, Kasi Vance, Diane Miller, Regina Kelly, Youlanda Kelly.

CHEERLEADERS 1983

Sponsor: Mrs. Spitzer

Fight, Team, Fight





DIANE MILLER



MARCELLA SCOGGINS



YOLANDA KELLY



ANITA CALLOWAY



REGINA KELLY



TINA LEWIS



ANN SHELBY



KASI VANCE

CHEERLEADERS



Look girls, I can jump higher!



Busters, You can do it!



Our team is F-I-N-E fine . . .



You're right, the game hasn't started yet.

Pratice makes perfect!



We're the Busters and couldn't be prouder!





Homecoming Queen

KAREN COOK

QUEEN AND HER COURT

Left to right: Queen Karen Cook, Junior Phyllis Tyus, Sophomore Robin Jackson, Freshman Mary Carroll





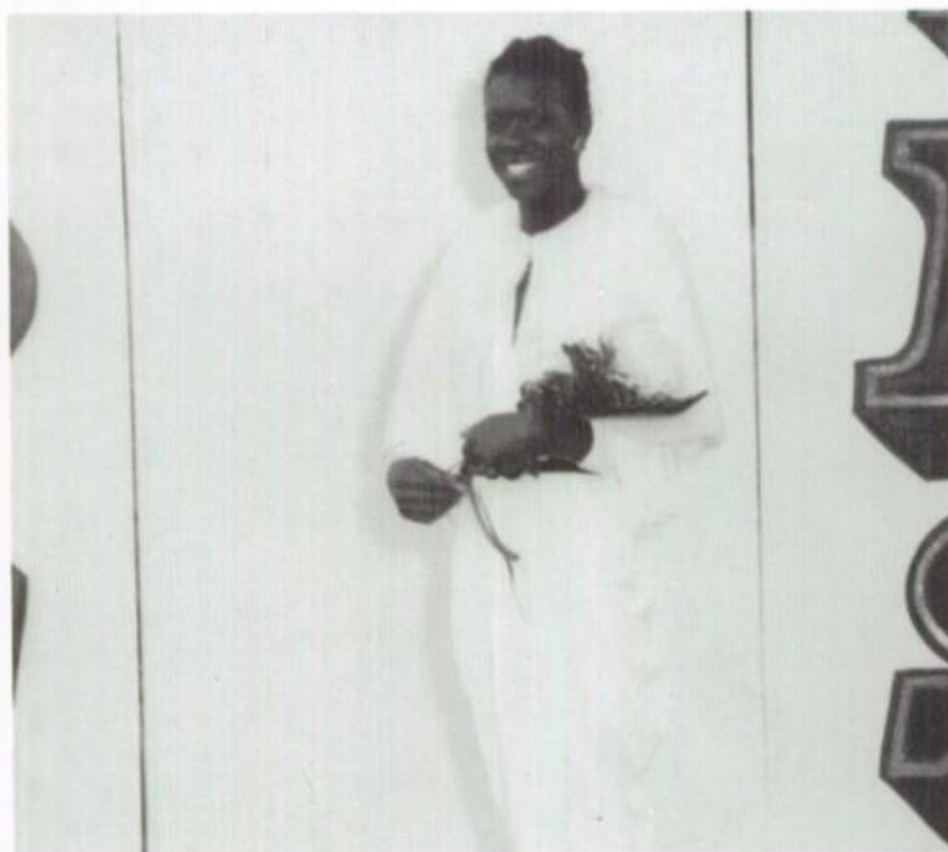
*Senior class Rep.
Karen Cook*



*Freshman class Rep.
Mary Carroll*

HOMECOMING 1983

*Junior class Rep.
Phyllis Tyus*



*Sophomore class Rep.
Robin Jackson*





Left to Right: Donna Hunter, Mang. Lisa Thomas, Marion Bacon, Theresa Turner, Coach Wilson, Sherry Bowman



Donna Hunter



Theresa Turner



Marion Bacon



Sherry Bowman

GIRLS TRACK



JEFF BOXLEY

BOYS TRACK



DARRELL TURNER

COACH BURKE



CHIFFONDA WASHINGTON



RUSSELL WELLS

STEVE PETERSON







LEFT TO RIGHT — JERRY SPRAGUE, WILLY McELROY, CHIFFONDA WASHINGTON, DOUG TALLEY, JEFF BOXELY, KEMBALL PERSON, JAMES VANCE, COACH PAUL WILSON, RUSSELL WELLS, DARRELL TURNER, EARL MITCHELL, MARK FRENCH, JOHNNY JOHNSON, ROBERT WILLIAMS, COACH JOHN FUQUA

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ASSISTANT COACH JERRY SPRAGUE
HEAD COACH PAUL WILSON
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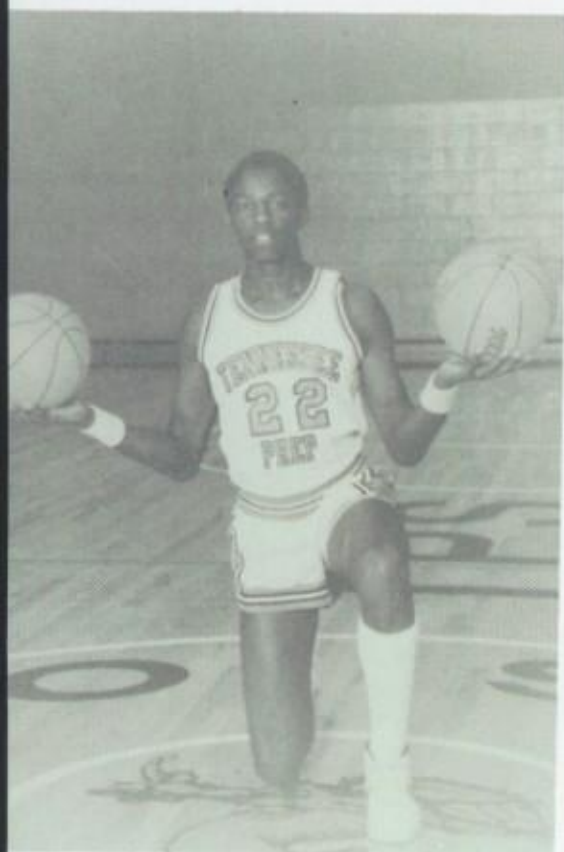
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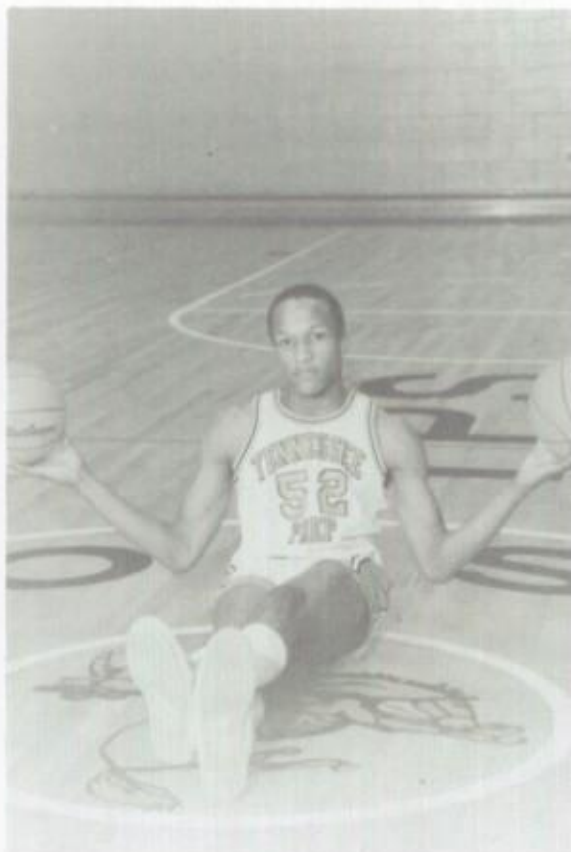
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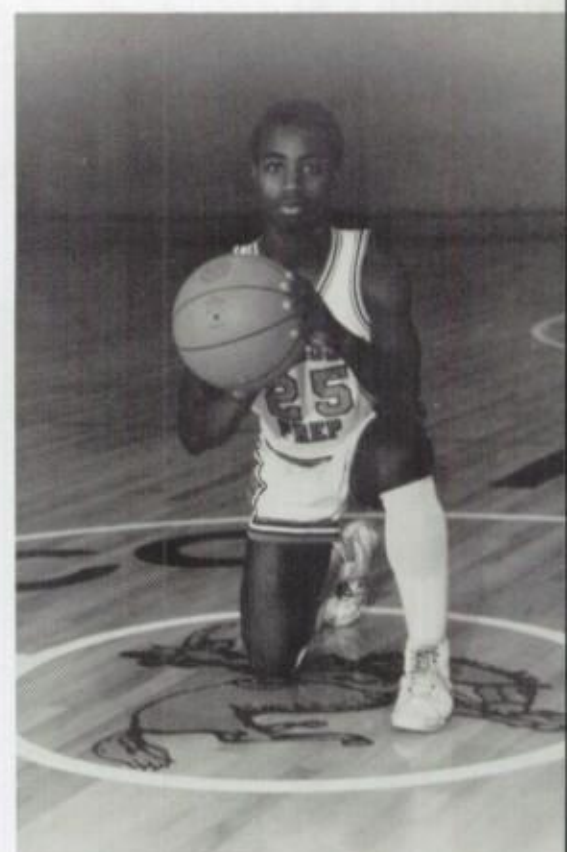


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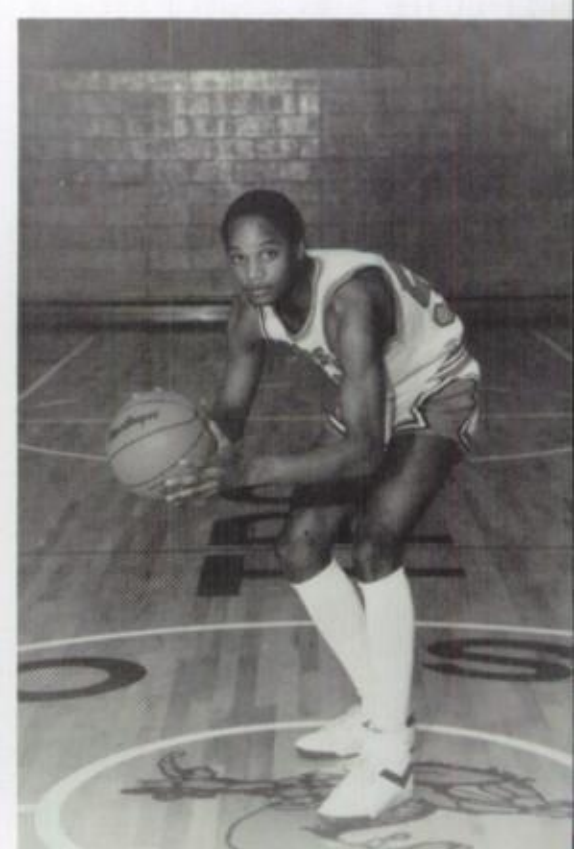
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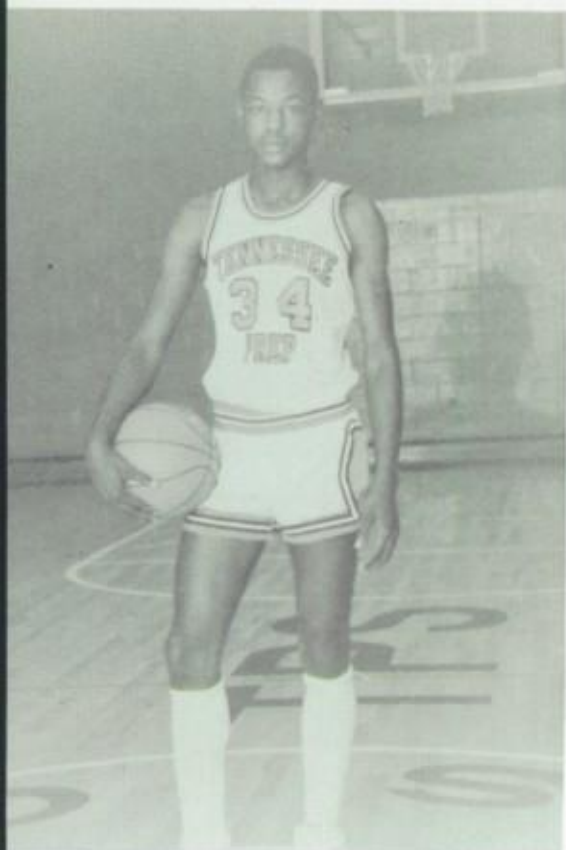
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LADY BUSTERS

MANAGER NADINE BENTON



SENIOR CAPTAINS — SAMANTHA BEASLEY, & LAURA TALLEY





PHYLLIS TYUS



SAMANTHA BEASLEY



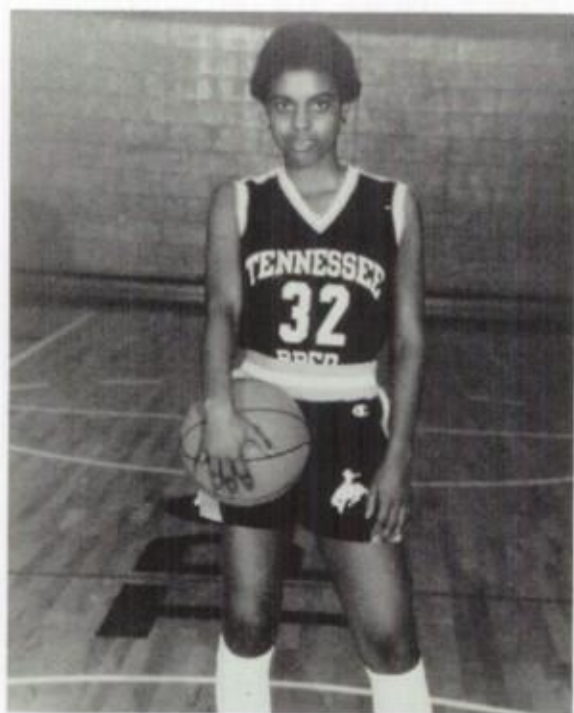
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BASKETBALL CHEERLEADER

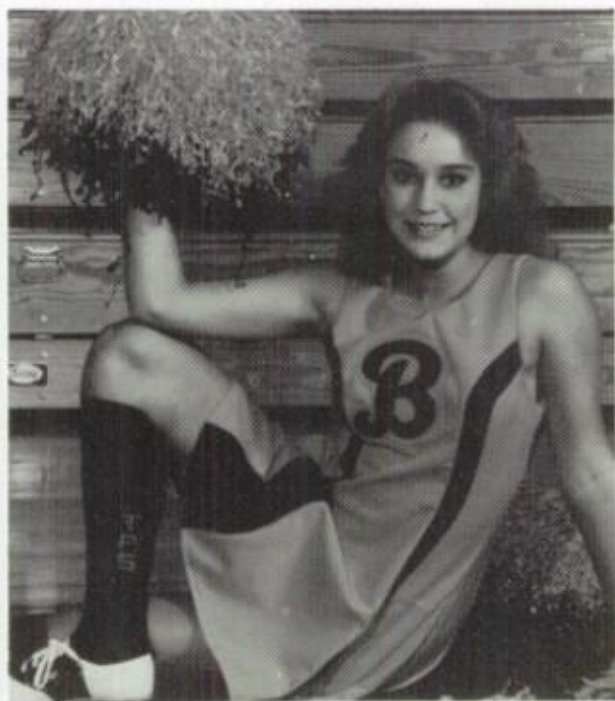
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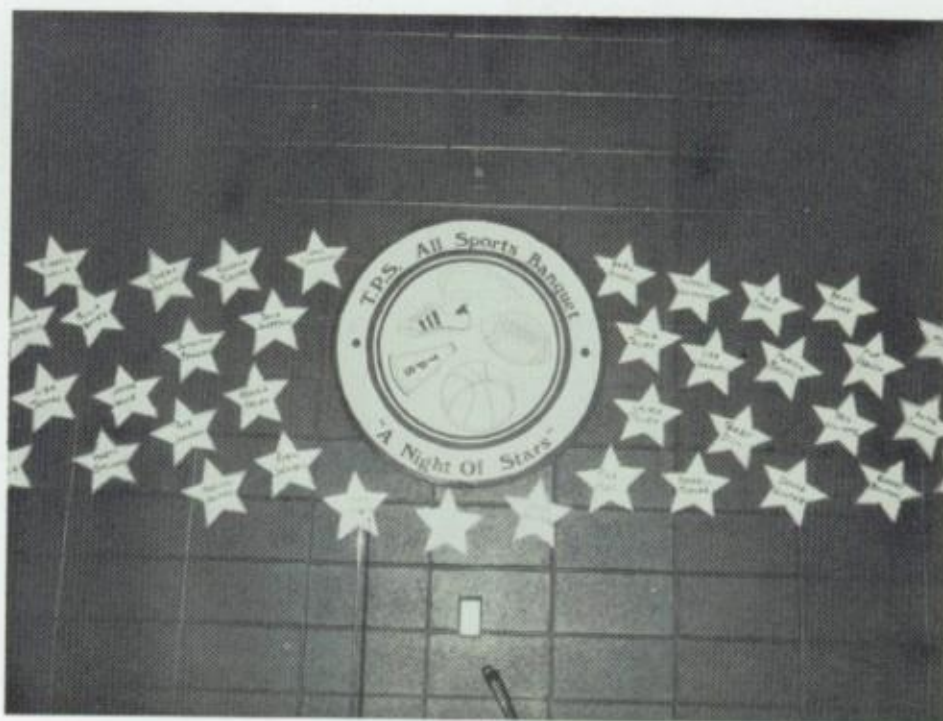
DENISE HAIRE

KIM HAGGARD





Mr. Clyde Lee Speaking at Sports Banquet.



Some of the Stars of TPS.



Darrell Turner, receiving his trophy.



Russell Wells, receiving his trophy.

Dr. & Mrs. Rumbaugh socializing at banquet.



Michael Cody, receiving his trophy.



SPORTS BANQUET



Mr. Head Introducing Guess Speaker



Guess Speaker Clyde Lee and Coach Paul Wilson



Mr. Bunnell Speaking at Banquet



Coach Gaylor giving out Awards

Where are the Steaks?



Yes, We want service



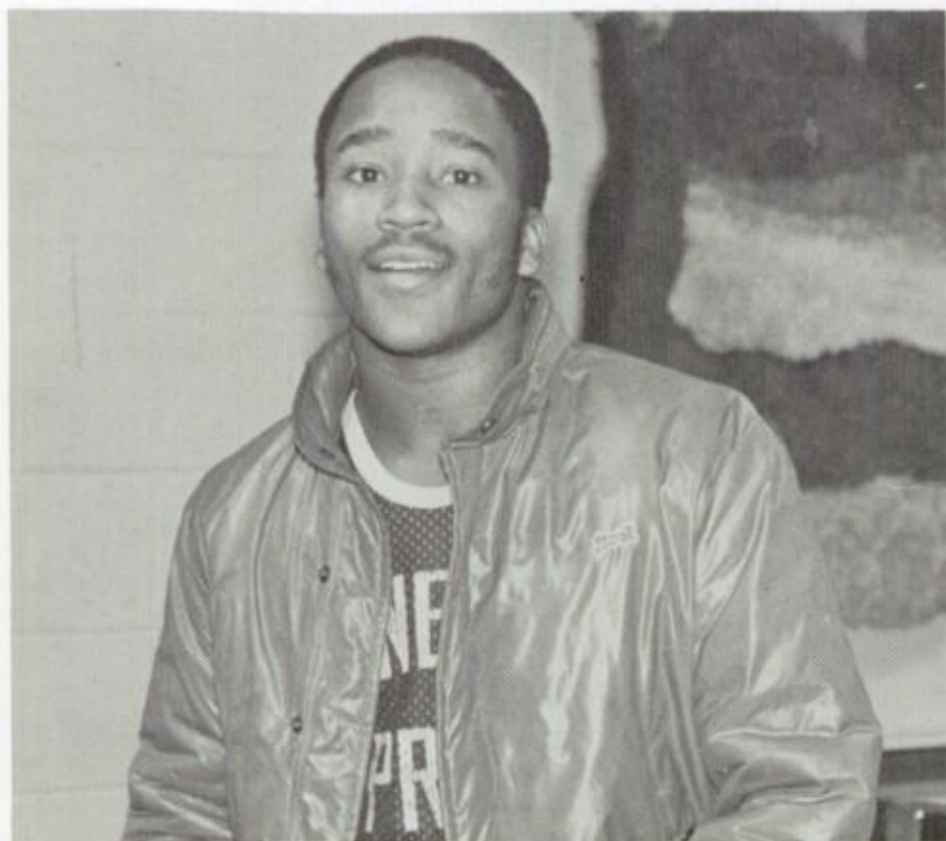


Recreation Staff

The Recreation Department is involved in the after-school activities of the TPS student population and off-duty time of the TPS staff. Recreation provides week-end and special activities such as dances, movies, cook-outs, ballgames, and shopping transportation. The intramural program gives an opportunity for everyone to participate in flag football, volleyball, basketball, swimming, softball, billiards, and table tennis. This is in addition to the regular recreation time offered in the gameroom, swimming pool and the arts and crafts program.

We are fortunate to have a knowledgeable staff to insure quality and sportsmanship among the students in all recreational activities. Since the beginning of the Recreation Department in 1971, it has been growing and providing a positive outlet for the students physical and social needs.

Ping Pong Championship.

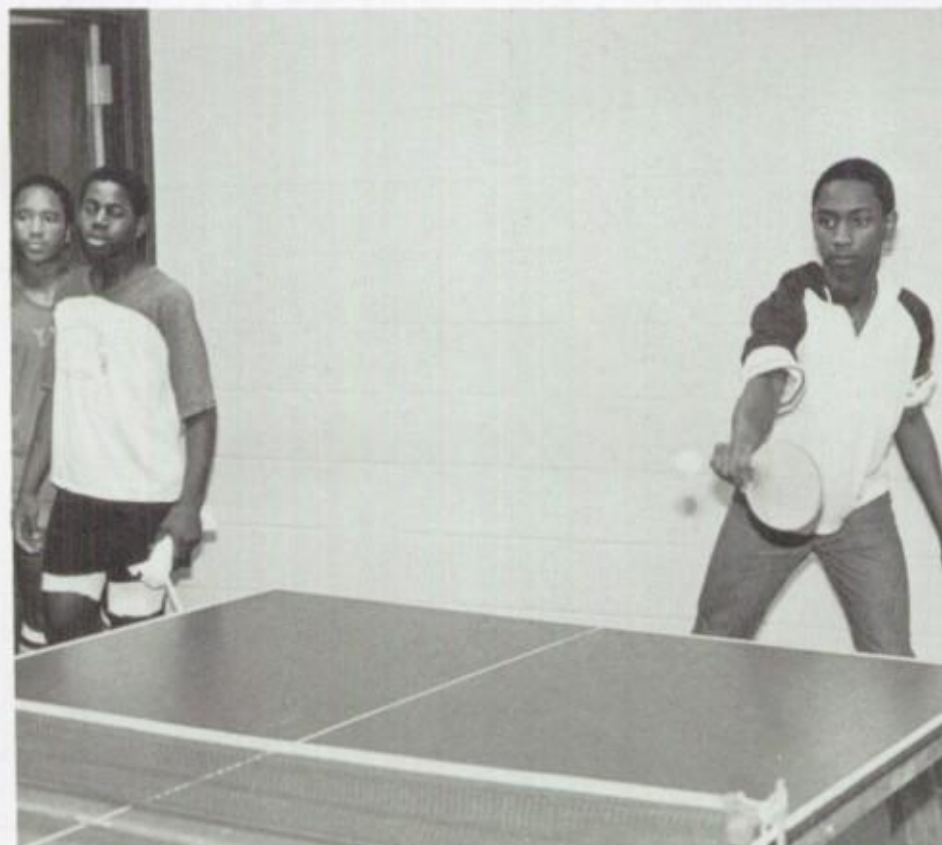


Jeff Boxely, table tennis champion.



Chiffonda with his cheering section.

Willy Burton showing his form.



Will the real winner please stand up?



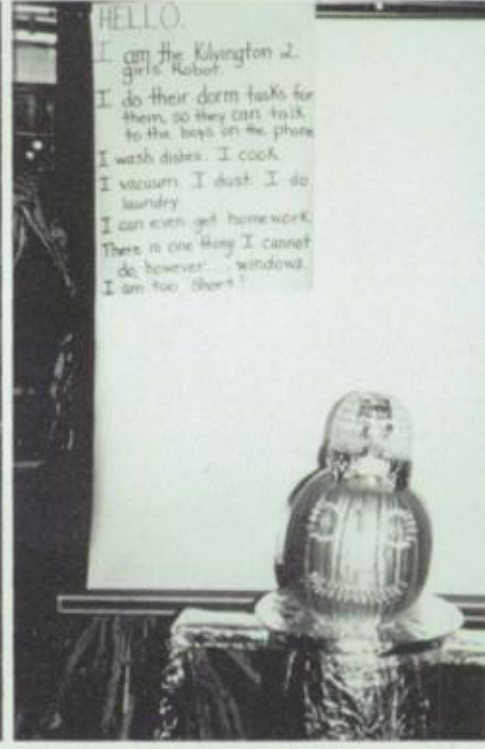


Table Billards Champion



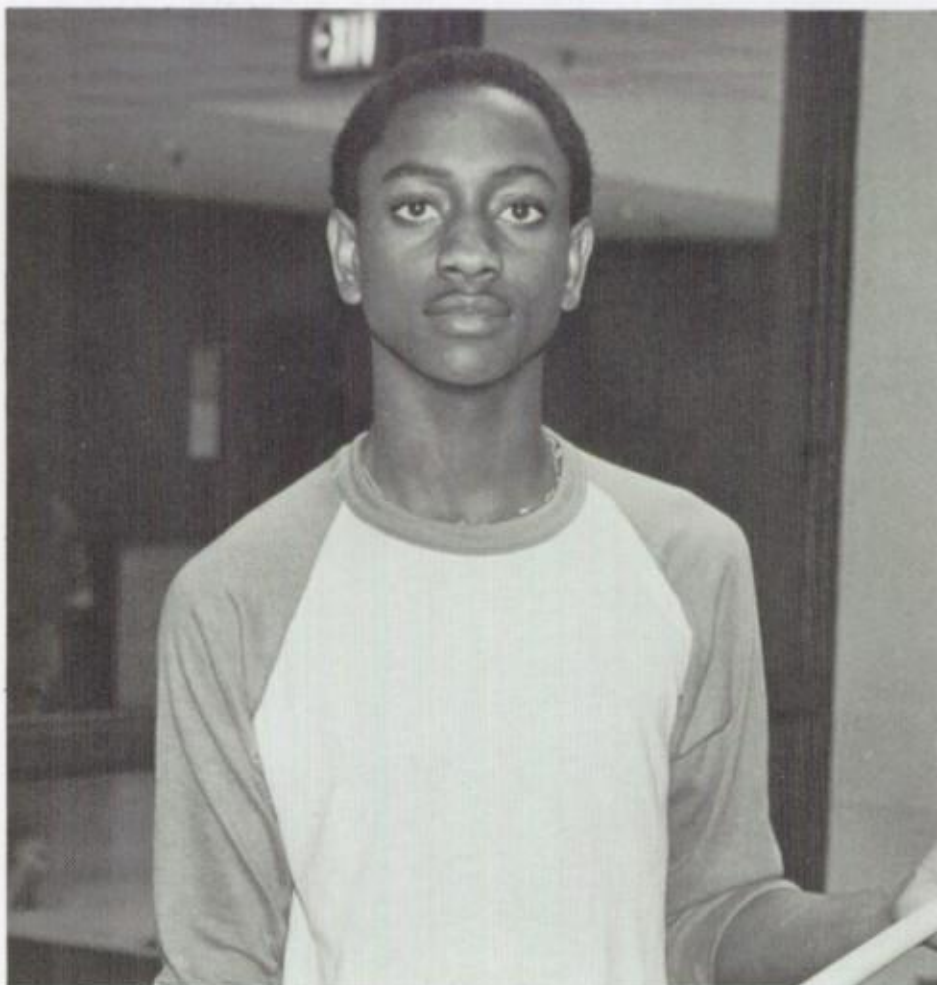
Willy playing in the championship.



Lloyd Rheal playing for championship.

WINNER

Willy, Champion of Table Billards.



Birthday Party.



Ms. Spence are you going to sing or eat?



Happy Birthday to me too!



I tried to tell people I was a lot of hot air.

Oh! Do I have to eat another piece?



Brian will not share his cake no matter what Brenda says.

Won't this ice cream ever melt in my mouth?





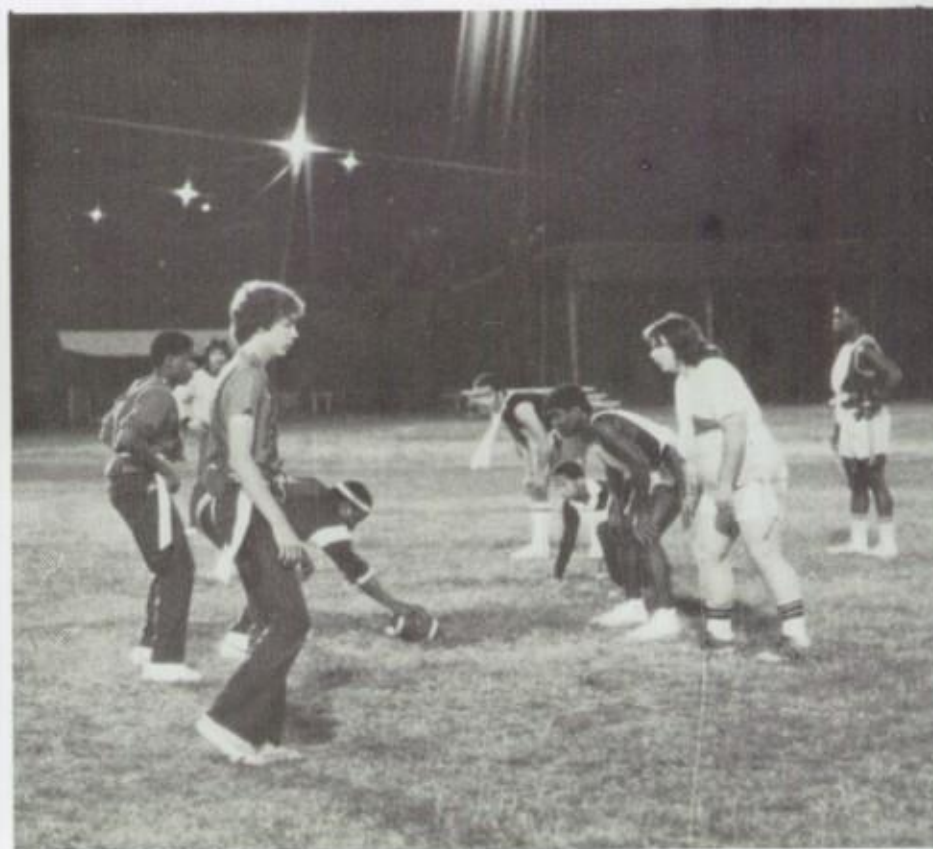
Flag football champions Sills 2.

Flag Football.

Okay guys, let's regroup.



Kenneth says, "nobody will run through Me!"





Action in the Champs game.



Come on gang, let's cheer!

Championship Game.

Were lined up in pass defense.



You guys think of something!!

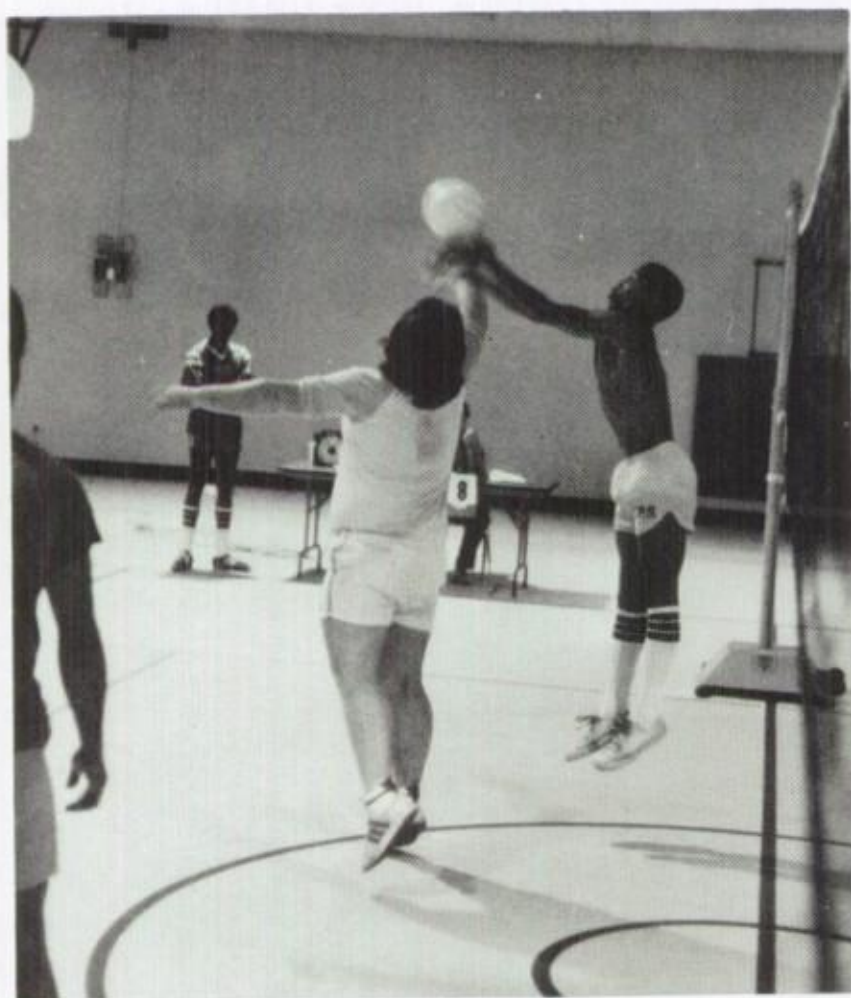




Nix 1 volleyball champs.

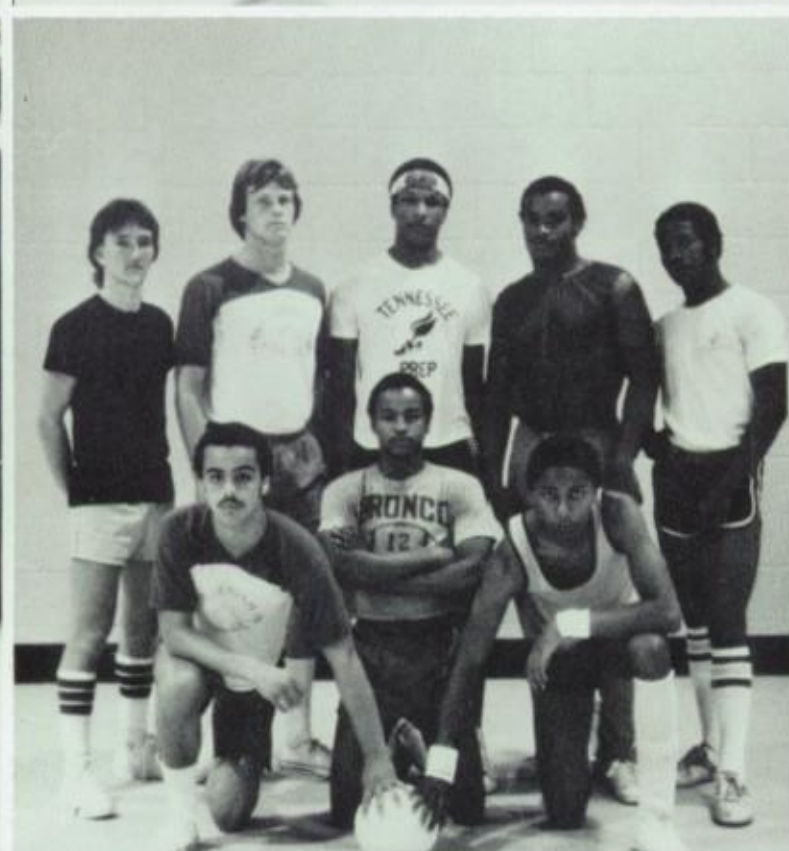
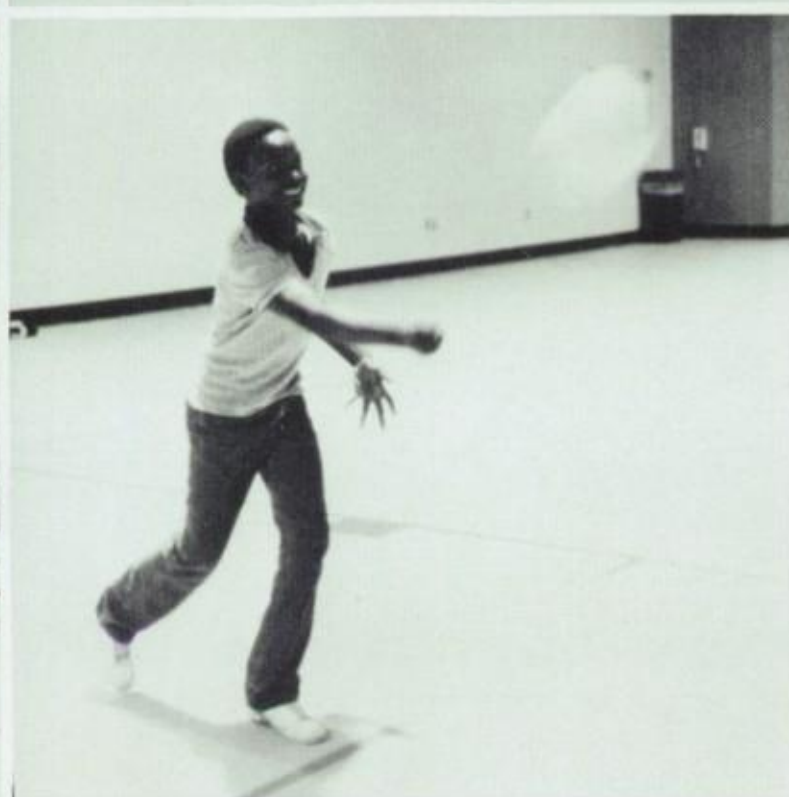
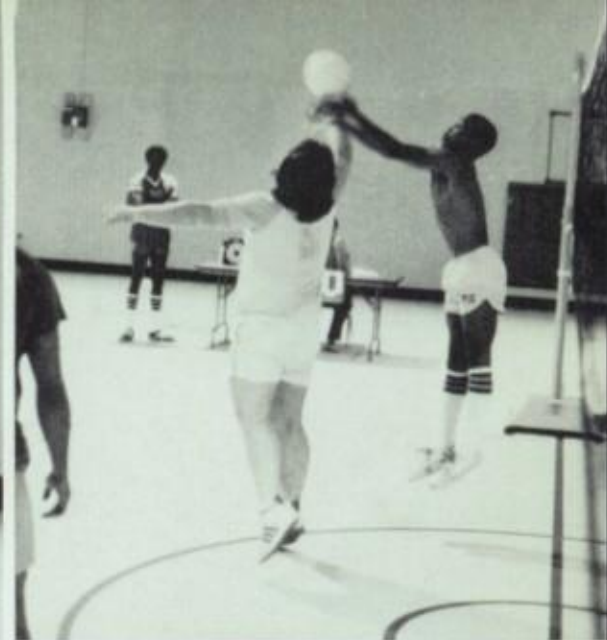
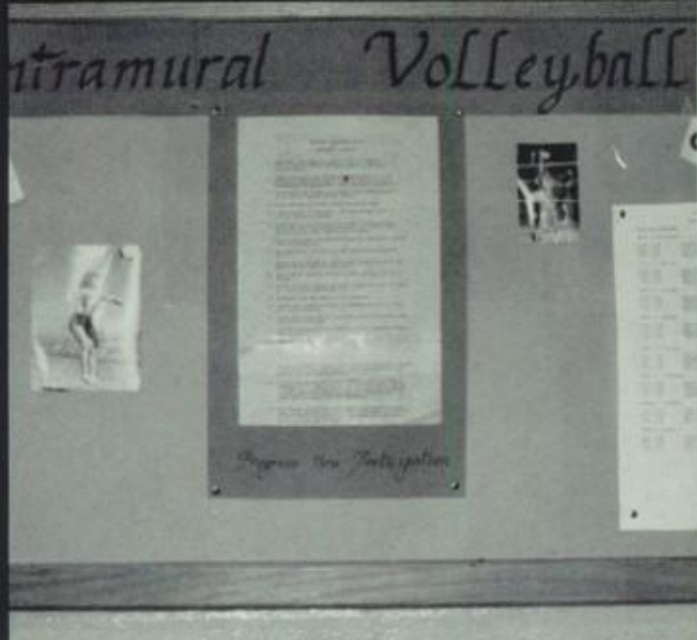
Volleyball

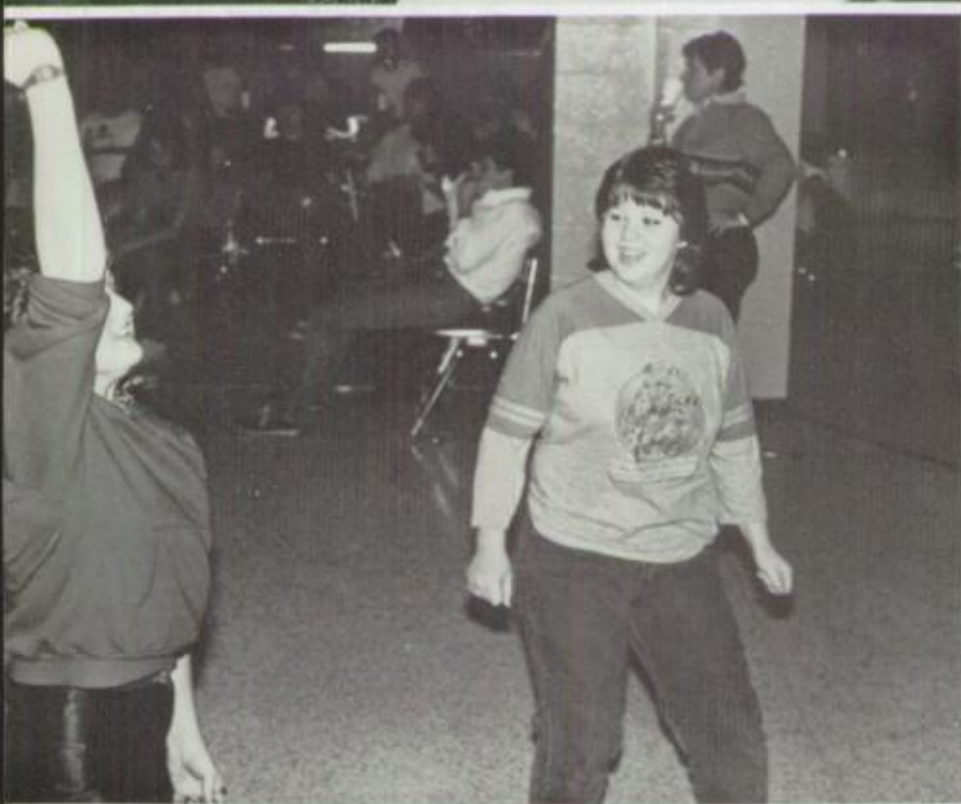
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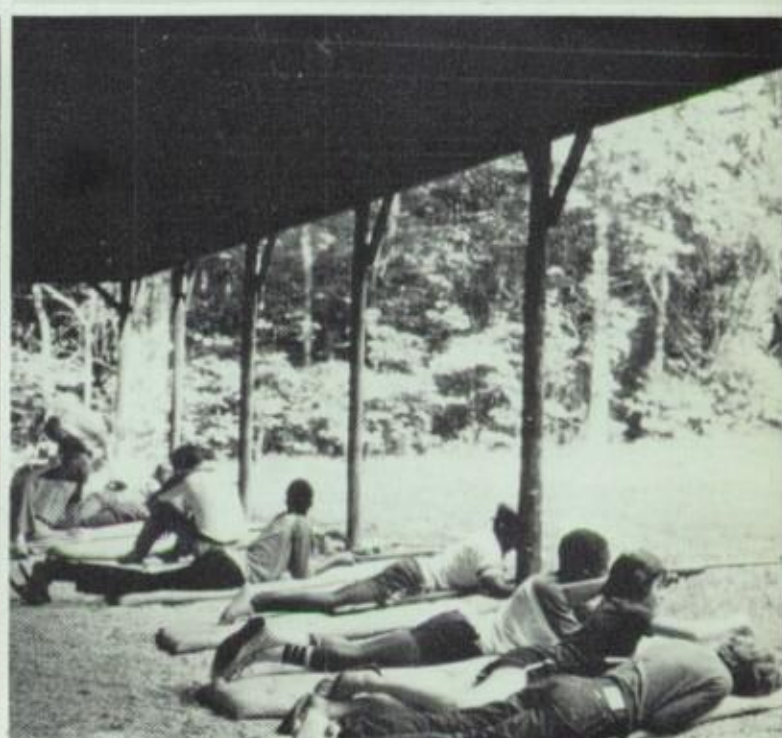
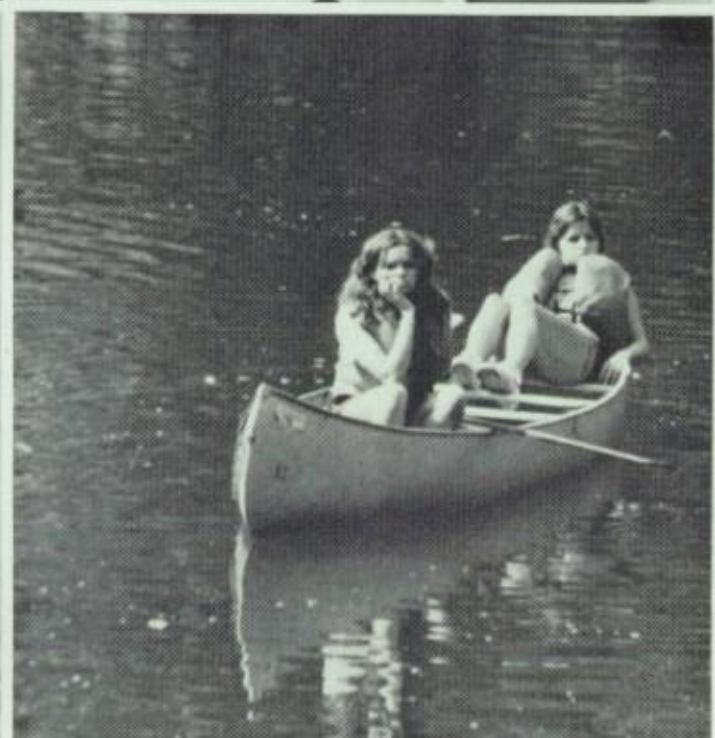


Is this volleyball or ballet?















Girls flag football winners.



Girls volleyball winners.

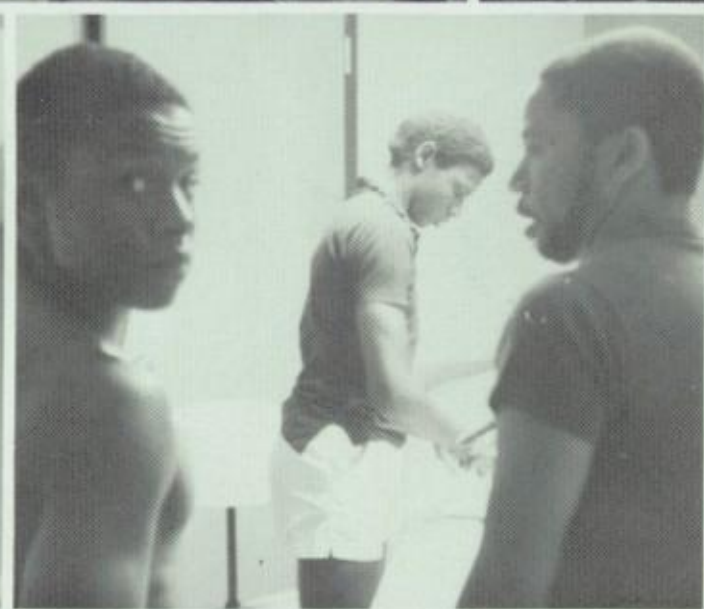
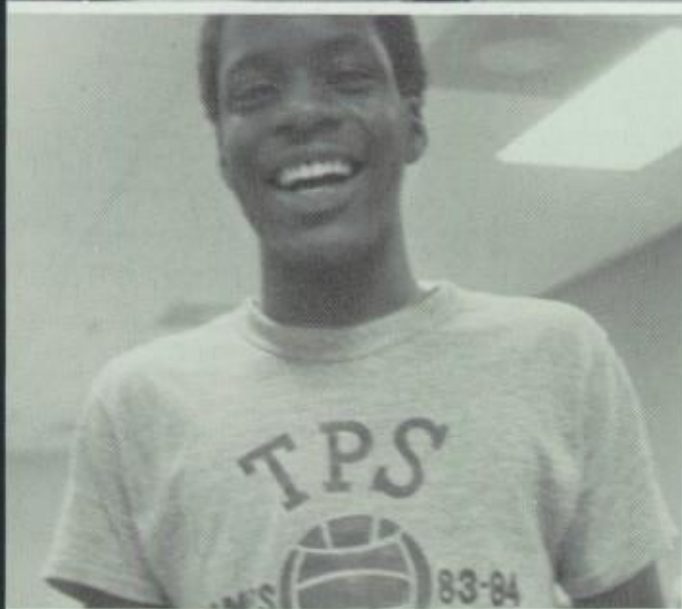
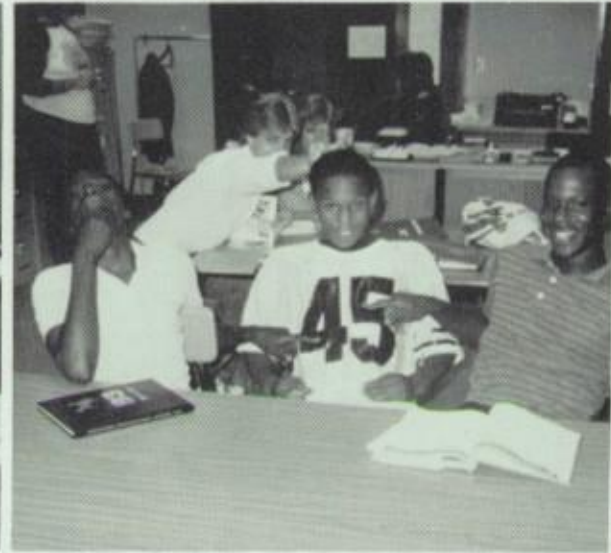
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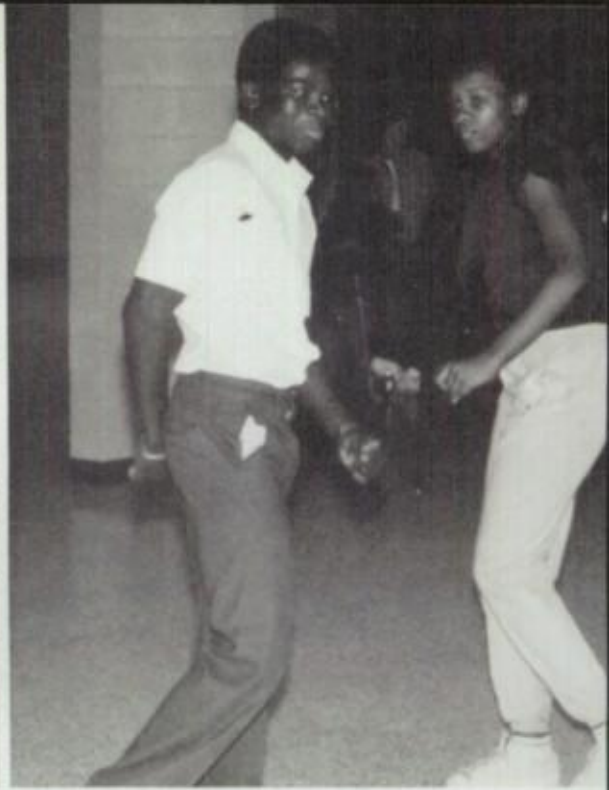
Lloyd Rheal Runner-up, billiards.



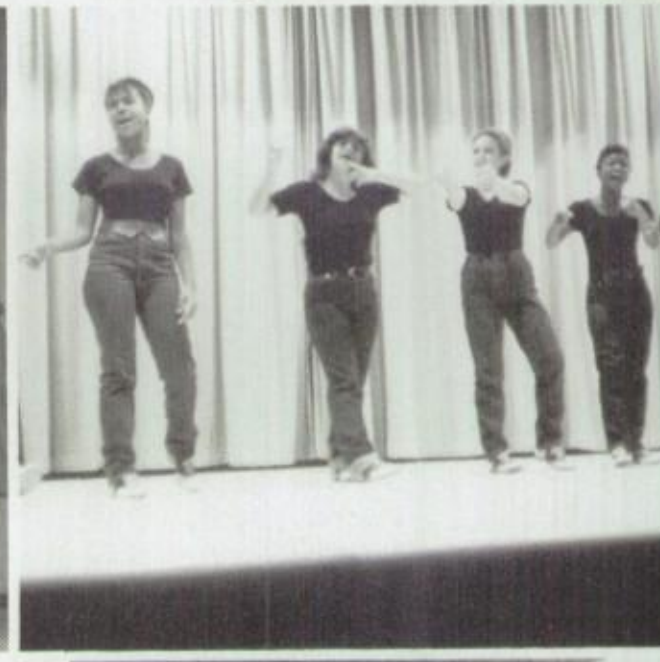
Terry Lenning Runner-up, table tennis.



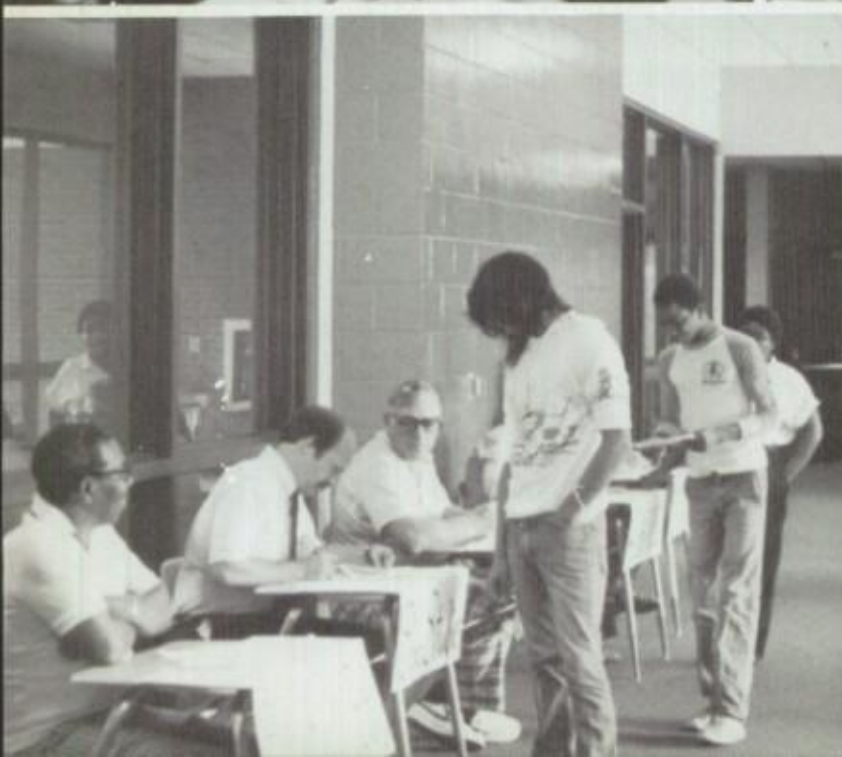
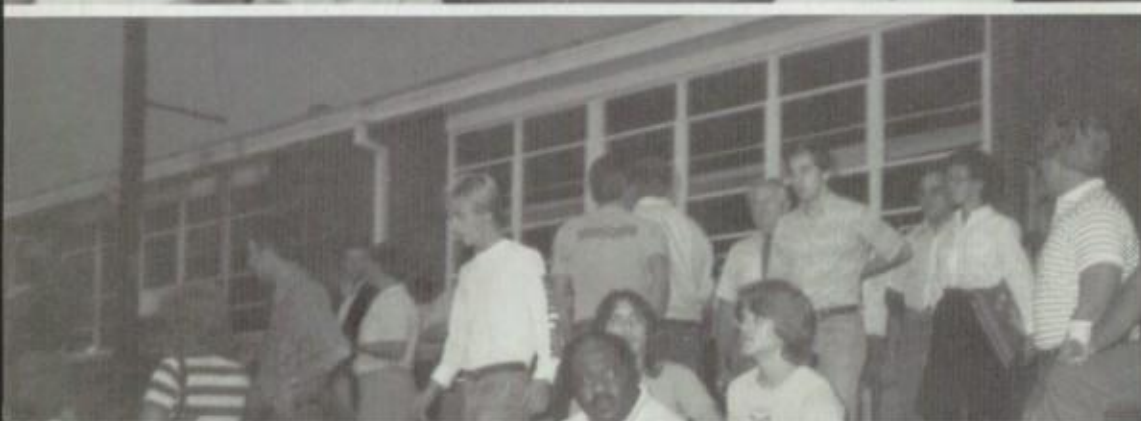


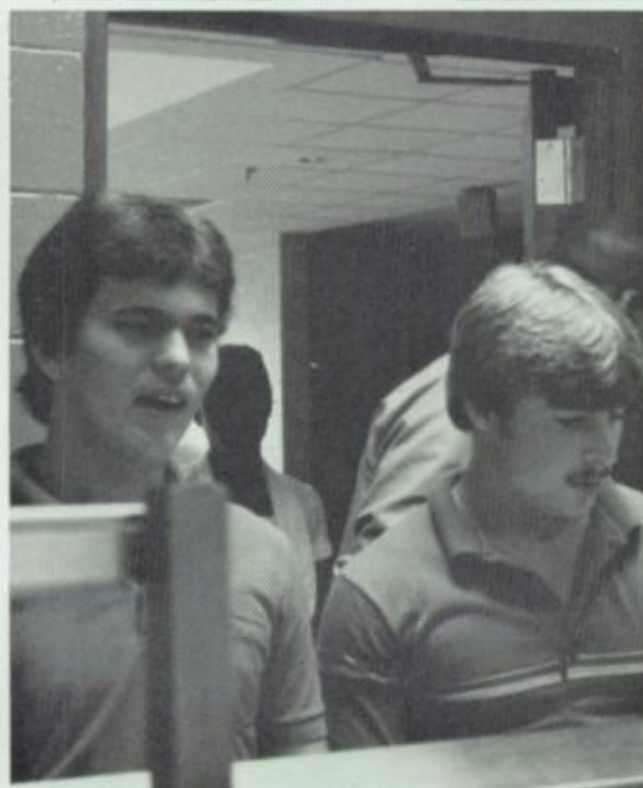










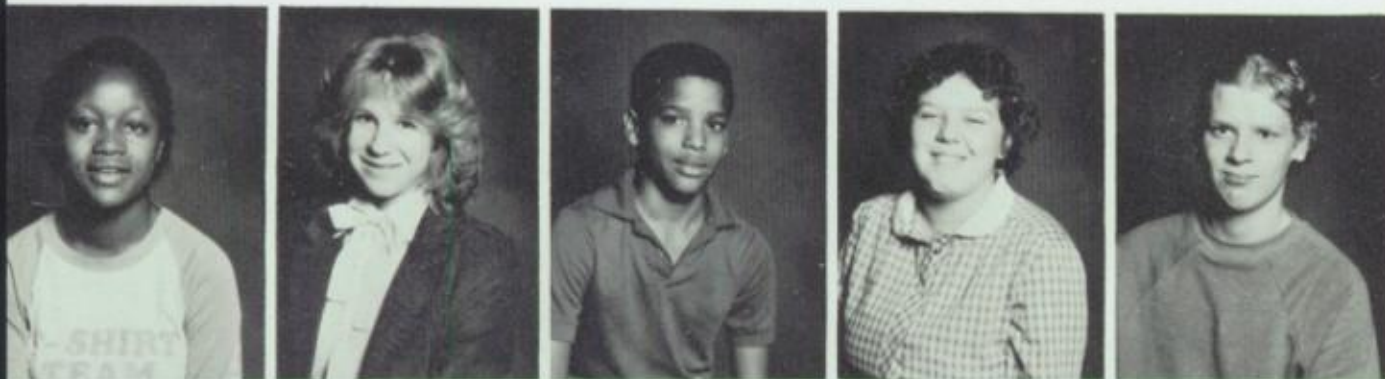




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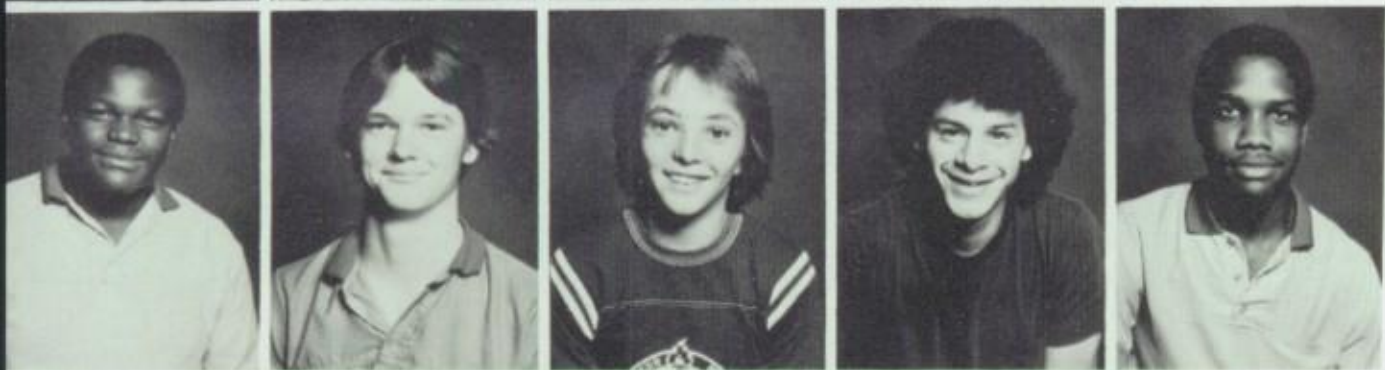
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*Stacy Stillwell
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Loretta Anderson
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*Joyce Stillwell
Johnny Burchfield
Mandy Vardin
Eddie Yates
Donald Dukes*



*Kenneth Pinex
Jeffrey Pritchard
Mike Munsey
Carlos Cortis
Toney Musgrove*



*Rene Conley
Lynn Lynch
Janet Steivenson
Lisa Coffee
Lisa Shoulders*



Rhonda Plunkett

*Not Pictured
Kathy Kratovil*



John T. Hicks — State Senator



Victor Ellis — State Representative



Senior Cookout



Senior Cookout



SENIOR DIRECTORY

Jerry Alexander
Rutherford County
TPS Student: 3 years
Track 3 years

Anthony Avery
Davidson County
TPS Student: 2 years
Football 1 year

Samantha Beasley
Davidson County
TPS Student: 4 ½ years
Basketball 3 years; Cheerleader ½ year; Girl
Scouts 1 year; Most Dependable Girl, Senior;
Most Talented Girl, Senior; Best All Around
Girl, Senior; Most Popular Girl, Senior; FCA 2
years; Softball 3 years

Nadine Benton
Memphis, TN
TPS Student: 5 years
Most Mischievous Girl, Senior; Basketball 1½
years; Basketball Manager 2 years

Emmitt Boxley
Humboldt, TN
TPS Student: 2½ years
Football 1 year

Anita Calloway
Knoxville, TN
TPS Student: 3 years
Cheerleader 1½ years; Best School Spirit Girl,
Senior; Track 1 year

Randy Christy
Dickson, TN
TPS Student: 5½ years
Boy Scouts 2 years

Billy Collins
Maryville, TN
TPS Student: 3 years

Karen Cook
Tulahoma, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years
Best Looking Girl, Senior; Miss TPS, Senior;

*Homecoming Queen, Senior; Black & Gold 1
year; Yearbook Staff, 1 year; Editor 1 year*

John Crenshaw
Memphis, TN
TPS Student: 5 years
Football 2 years; Track 1 year

Terry Dill
Ashland City, TN
TPS Student: 4 years
Football 2 years; Most Courteous Boy, Senior;
Vice-President, Junior class, President FCA,
Wrestling 1 year

Jody Esquillo
Nashville, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years
Girl Scouts 1½ years

Doug Fleenor
Bristol, TN
TPS Student: 2 years

Javon Francis
Roane County
TPS Student: 2 years
Most Courteous Boy, Senior; Best Personality,
Boy, Senior; Yearbook Staff 1 year; Black &
Gold 1 year; American Legion Boy State
Delegate

Lee Fox
Johnson City, TN
TPS Student: 3 years

Reginald Graves
Jackson, TN
TPS Student: 3 years
Football 1 year; Track 1 year; Friendliest Boy,
Senior; Sophomore Vice-President; FCA 1 year

Kenny Hall
Maryville, TN
TPS Student: 2 years
Most Talented Boy, Senior; Yearbook Staff 1
year; Black & Gold 1 year

SENIOR DIRECTORY

Kim Harrell
Kingsport, TN
TPS Student: 2 years
Most Likely to Succeed Girl, Senior

Johnny Johnson
Jackson, TN
TPS Student: 8 years
Football 2 years; Basketball 2 years; Secretary & Treasurer

Terry Lening
Lebanon, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years
Football 1 year; Baseball 1 year; Softball 3 years; Most Bashful Boy, Senior

Willy McElroy
Spencer, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years
Best All Around Boy, Senior; Secretary & Treasurer, Senior class; Basketball 1 year; Softball 1 year; Yearbook Staff 1 year; Black & Gold Editor 1 year; Library Staff 1 year; Choir

Maybelle McGennis
Pickett County
TPS Student: 2½ years

James Milton
Paris, TN
TPS Student: 4 years
Softball 4 years

Earl Mitchell
Knoxville, TN
TPS Student: 3 years
Football 1 year; Basketball 3 years; Track 3 years

John Pirtle
Jackson, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years

Mike Robinson
Alcoa, TN
TPS Student: 1½ years

Jeff Rogers
Manchester, TN
TPS Student: 1 year

Bill Shoulders
Dyersburg, TN
TPS Student: 5 years
Eighth grade class favorite; Football 5 years; Track 5 years; Wrestling 1 year; Basketball Manager 2 years; Ninth grade class favorite; President Freshman class; Vice-President Sophomore class; FCA 5 years; President Junior Class; Hall of Fame player Junior year; President Senior class; Mr. TPS, Senior; Most Likely To Succeed Boy, Senior; Best All Around Boy, Senior; Most Dependable Boy, Senior

Laura Talley
Gallitan, TN
TPS Student: 7 years
Basketball 2 years; Most Courteous Girl, Senior; Friendliest Girl, Senior; Most Bashful Girl, Senior; Best Personality Girl, Senior; Homecoming Representative Freshman; Girl Scout 1 year

Joseph Thompson
Knoxville, TN
TPS Student: 2 years
Football 1 year; Wrestling 1 year; Track 1 year

Darrell Turner
Chattanooga, TN
TPS Student: 3 years
Basketball 2 years; Football 3 years; Track 3 years; FCA 1 year

Russell Wells
Chattanooga, TN
TPS Student: 5 years
Vice-President, Senior class; Football 4 years; Track 2 years; Basketball 4 years; Boys State Delegate, Junior year; Most School Spirit Boy, Senior; I Dare You Award, Junior year; Yearbook Staff 1 year; Black & Gold 1 year

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I, Kenny Hall, being crazy and wild leave the following to the students and staff. I leave all my love and care for Karen, to treasure throughout her life. I hope she will have a great life. Karen, the best of luck to you. I've enjoyed your friendship and all the great times we've shared. J.R., I give you my thanks for all the help you have given me, and for putting up with me in all my time at "The Prep". To the Bakers, I leave my spirit to haunt you. You know you can't live without me. Mrs. Cummings, I leave you my love and laziness, maybe you can do something with it. Mr. Nave, thank you for all the help you have given me. I want you to know I really appreciate it. To all the T.P.S. students, I leave you all the luck in the world. Make something of yourselves. Don't let anyone get you down. Tomorrow is another day. To all the "chics" I leave my love and my smile. To one special person, Daddy Duke, I leave you my love and appreciation. You have done so much for me. You have made my stay at T.P.S. the best it possibly could be. I want you to know that you are the greatest, Duke. Thank You!!!

I, Javon D. Francis, would like to express my greatest thanks to all the people at T.P.S. that have made my stay there a pleasant one. I would like to give my deepest thanks to two of the best friends a person could ever have, Dee Spence, (the life of the party) and the one and only Melinda Arnett, (the Mom I never had). I would like to leave to Mrs. Brittle my new ability to be happy even in "sad times." To Marion Bacon, I leave my ability to be straight and ability to comprehend algebra. Good luck in future mathematics courses, Marion. To Mr. Nave, I leave my ability to use grammar correctly. To Mr. Willis Pulley, I leave old memories for new beginning. Mr. Willis, I just want to say thanks for taking time to listen. To Mrs. Cummings, I leave my sincere thanks for seeing my side of the story and just for being understanding. To Mrs. Brittle, I leave my love and my ability to be happy. To all future T.P.S. students, start out on the right track and you will get a lot farther. Take advantage of what T.P.S. has to offer you. After all, it's there for you. To my wonderful cottage parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, I leave all my love and wonderful memories. To Lensney and Gerald Barnes, I leave all out great times and sweet memories.

I, Laura Talley, leave to my brothers and sisters all my love, to my brother Doug, the ability to do better in football and basketball. Good Luck! I leave to Mrs. Rivers all my love and thanks for helping me out. I leave to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Williams, my love and thanks for all that you have done for me. To all the teachers, I thank you for helping me out in my work. I leave all my friends at T.P.S. my friendship. To Wendell Mays, my laughs and jokes in printing. I leave to Doug and Jean Brown, my love and thanks for all the gum you got for me. I love you and good luck with the young ladies in K-3. I leave Mr. Kirk Lewis, my paper job and I hope you can find someone better than I was. I leave Ronnie and Janice Austin my love and thanks for helping me out in Clement II. To Jimmie Minniffee, I leave my love and thanks for being around when I needed you. I leave T.P.S. all my smiles and laughs. And to Coach Cummings and Gaylor, I thank you for helping me out and pointing out things I needed to do better in basketball. Thank You! I leave to Theresa Turner, all the jokes you have said to make me smile. To Nadine Benton, I hope you get what you want in life. To Wesley and Bobbie Joe Williams, the good times I had when I babysitted you. I love you. To Robert Talley, good luck with the ladies. I leave to Mr. Harold all the good things Nadine and I have talked to him about.

I, Terry Dill, leave to Mr. Todd thanks for helping me make it in English. I leave to Mr. Williams the word "think." I leave to Mr. Duke my thanks for all the good years we've had together. I leave to Mrs. Brittle my algebra book for someone to carry on. I leave to Mrs. Cumming my thanks for her help. I leave to Mrs. Fletcher my Tennessee Vols fans. I leave to Coach Burke and to Coach Fuqua my experience on the football field for some of your players. I leave to Bill Shoulders all my friendship and hope you make it in life, "brother."

I, Russell Wells, leave my appreciation to all the coaches because you all have played a very meaningful part in my life since I have been at T.P.S. Thanks a lot. To the teachers and other members of T.P.S., thanks for putting up with me in class and helping me when I needed it. To all the students to come, take pride in yourself and in your school. It's been good to me and it will be good for you if you let it. Remember "you've got to give something to get something in return." Now, to my brother Kevin, all my valuables. To Jason Farmer, a person unforgettable and friendly, a friendship I will keep always, hang in there. I leave my school spirit with everyone. For the Athletes, remember you never lose until you quit.

I, Jerry Lee Dewayne Alexander, leave my faithful thoughts to Donna Hunter, a girl that I won't ever forget when I leave T.P.S. Thanks for all the special times we had together. I Love You! I also leave to my brother Hubbard the faith and courage to make it to the year of 1985. Until we meet again! To Elmer Thomas, I will remember you as a good friend when times were hard. I also leave to Menzler One, my thanks for being in the dorm with me. To my best friends Cottrell, Steve, Carlos, and Jimmy, the best of luck in the future.

I, John Pirtle, leave my thanks to the students and staff for helping me out for the last 2½ years.

I, John Edward Morris Crenshaw, leave my thanks to Larry Saunders, for helping me through the hard times and planning my future. I leave to Danny Woods, my eye glasses so that he can see a little better. I would like to thank Coach Burke for helping me with my attitude with other people and on the football field. Thanks a lot Coach! I would like to thank all the teachers for helping me to be successful in life someday.

I, James Robert Milton, leave my luck to everybody I know. To Mr. Wells I leave my friendship and all the luck in the world. You're the best social worker I know. To Mr. Bunnell, I leave all the fishing to you, but "I am still the greatest and the champ". To all the teachers I leave my thanks for helping me through many years here at T.P.S. To Kenny Hall, I leave my friendship, and I hope that you put some weight on and eat your protein foods. Thanks for being a good friend. To Emerson Cavette, I leave all my wishes, and his little brother too.

I, Michael Robinson, would like to express my appreciation to all who have given helpful advice and encouragement. I could name a few outstanding people who have really affected my life since I have been at T.P.S. but I don't think it would be fair to the rest. God Bless You all Seniors #84.

I, Emmitt Boxley, would like to give thanks to my teachers and the staff of T.P.S. for furthering my education. To all my friends I leave behind, I hope you will see life the way I did. To the graduating class of 1984 "Looks Like We Made It." Good Luck!!!

I, Jeff Rogers, being of sound mind leave to Mr. Davidson all my good times behind the infirmary. I also leave all my good times with Mrs. Baker, to any underclassmen. To anybody, I leave all my good times at Chuck E. Cheese to any underclassmen that moves in. I leave Mrs. Cummings my thanks for being so nice and considerate. I also leave the memory of T.P.S. to Angie Prater, the one I love. To T.P.S. all my goodbyes.

I, Lee Fox, would like to express my appreciation to all T.P.S. staff who has given me helpful advise during my stay here. To Mr. and Mrs. Beasley,

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and Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, my thanks for being such great people as well as dorm parents. Thanks for putting up with me during my stay at T.P.S. I leave to Sharon Hannah all the memories for the great times we've shared together and a place in my heart that only you can fill. I love ya! To all the remaining boys of Browning II and I, I leave all the memories and good times behind. To all Scott II boys, I hope each and everyone of you reach your goals whatever they may be. To Cynthia Hale, I leave a close friendship forever. To all whom I consider friends I leave my examples for you to follow and hopefully you will make it as I have done. To T.P.S., I leave my goodbyes. Thanks again for everything.

I, Jody Esquillo, leave to Lisa Walton all my books, fun times and best wishes for you and you know who. I leave to Maybelle McGinnis, all my fun nights and best wishes. To T.P.S. staff I want to leave you all my love. To Mr. Bunnell, I leave all my love and I also want to thank him for being there. To Mr. and Mrs. Miller, I leave my love and hope to see you in the future. To Brian Cerda, I leave my heart to him, and all my wild nights. Brian, I'll see ya at the mall! To Mr. Hackett, I'll leave all my knowledge on cars. I've had fun Mr. Hackett. To Rod Rush, I leave all my dirty socks and my knowledge. Hope you can use it. I will say goodbye to everyone and leave you all my love.

I, Randy Christy, leave to Mr. John Duke, the 1982-83 10-0 record of the Dickson County Cougars football team. To Mr. John Small, I leave a big thanks for being there when no one else was, and for talking with me when no one else would. To Bill Shoulders, I leave my friendship. It's been fun talking and arguing with you about Miami, Alabama, Pittsburgh, and Dickson! To Doug Fleenor, I leave a list of all his girl friends, so he won't forget which one is on the phone. To all the original "Palace" boys, I leave the memory of the old Warf II. To Mrs. Nancy Minor, I leave the thanks for helping me in elementary. I would like Mrs. Minor to know that I still think of that certain person. If he were still here, I would be a lot happier than I am now. To Coach Burke, I leave my thanks for getting me to high school. To Kenny Gulley, I leave the trust that we had. Tell Jerry Gulley that our friendship remains forever. To the remaining T.P.S. students, I leave that ability to somehow work out their problems the way I have. To T.P.S. I leave my thanks for my 5½ years here.

I, Billy Collins, being of sound mind and body leave to Dr. Jack Rumbaugh, Mr. Adkisson, and Mr. Few my thanks for helping me through my many rough times at the Prep. To Mr. Small and family, may God be with you in the future, thanks for all the good times we had. To Mr. Green, thanks for helping me learn more about printing.

I, Kim Harrell, leave T.P.S. a little crazier than what I was when I first came. I also wish all my friends luck and happiness. To the Seniors "We Made It."

I, Doug Fleenor, leave all my thanks to Dr. Rumbaugh, for all the help he has given me during my time at the Prep. To Randy Christy, I leave the hide of his hamster that died 11-4-83. To all the girls it might concern, I leave my love and the best of wishes. I would like to thank Mr. Todd for all the help he has given me. To Brian Cerda, I leave my bedroom. To Lisa Walton, I leave all her homework that I borrowed but never returned. Last but not least I leave to Mr. Duke the patience to control himself when he sees a GooGoo cluster. To the Prep., I leave memories of Doug Fleenor.

I, Darrell K. Turner, would like to say thanks to the T.P.S. staff and student body for their support and their help to enable me to reach a goal that I wanted to achieve. I could name a few outstanding people who really affected my life since I have been at T.P.S. but I don't think it would be fair to the rest. As I make my final steps in the world, I will never forget where I got my ability to succeed in life. And to all T.P.S., staff and student body the best advice I could give to anyone is put God first and with Him no one can defeat you. P.S. Stay cool Coach Fuqua, Coach Burke, and friends.

I, Anthony Avery, leave to Mr. Wells my thanks for all that he has done for me, and the rest of my memories.

I, Terry Lening, leave Mr. Wells all the thanks for helping me and giving me good advice. To Mr. Cathey, I leave all my metal. To Kenny Hall, I leave my guitars and all the wild wild times we had. To J.R. Milton, I leave all my tools. To T.P.S. good luck and Goodbye!

I, Willy McElroy, leave my most precious memories to the people I love. To Jason Farmer, "brother," I leave my athletic ability. To Cindy Hale I leave my happiness. To Youlanda Kelly I leave my stubbornness and understanding. Don't give up. I know I have left some people out, but I leave you all my love, courage, strength, and ability to make it. A special thanks goes to everyone who helped me when I was down: Mom and Dad McCoullagh, Mrs. Brittle, Mr. Barnard, Mrs. Landiss, and all who have made me what I am today. "I Love You."

I, Earl Mitchell, leave a very special thanks to Coach Fuqua for all the things you've taught me, for picking me up when I was down, and showing me that someone does care what happens to me. To Coach Wilson, I thank you for all you have done for me and I will play college basketball. To Mr. Todd, I thank you for taking care of me. I leave all my basketball skills and courage to Jeff Boxley. To all the main office, students and staff I leave a big smile. To Wendell, I leave all my lady pulling over to carry out while I'm gone.

I, Maybelle McGinnis, hereby bequeth to Jody Esquillo and Gerald Stanley, all the love and happiness in the world. To Brian Cerda, and Terry Bullard, all my wild nights on Level 3. To J.R. Milton, lots of love and happiness. To Mr. and Mrs. Miller, all the love and happiness in the world because they deserve it. To Mrs. Brittle, my thanks for keeping K-4 straight when I was there. To all my friends my thanks for being there when I needed them. To T.P.S. faculty and staff I leave my appreciation for guiding me along. To Charles Patterson, I leave my health and economics papers. To Bernard Johnson, I leave another night at the state fair. To Kim Walsh, I leave my tears of joy and sadness. Last but not least, all my love to Edward Johnson.

I, Nadine Benton, leave to Jeff Boxely, my t.v. and my love. I leave to Mrs. Sylvester Carter my love and blessings. I leave to Mr. and Mrs. Austin, and Mrs. Battle my thanks for helping me through my senior year. I leave to Mrs. Cummings, Mr. Harrell, Mr. Bunnell, Coach Wilson, Mr. Duke, and Mrs. Wilson my appreciation for helping me through the hard times at T.P.S. and making my senior year wonderful. I leave to my little sister, Youlanda Kelly, who I hope will keep in touch with me, my hope that whatever she does in life will make it. I leave to Johnny Johnson and Laura Talley hope of you making it in the future. To Joy Miller, I leave all my stuffed animals. To Mrs. Rivers, I leave my man, Billy Dee Williams. To Coach Gaylor, I leave my driving abilities to you and luck to find someone else like me.

I, Bill Shoulders, leave to T.P.S. all the success of being a great school. I leave to Dr. Rumbaugh my love and happiness. To Coach Paul Wilson, I

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leave my love and thanks for being like a daddy to me. I hope you have great years in basketball in the future. To coach Burke, I leave my love and I want to thank you for being a coach as well as a friend. I also leave you an undefeated season in the years to come. To the football team, I leave the hard practice and dedication it takes to be winners. To Coach Fuqua, I leave my love and I also thank you for being a coach and a friend. To Mr. Bobby Todd, I leave my love and I want to thank you for helping with my problems, and just being a great all around person. To Mr. John Duke, I leave my love, my thanks, and good times we had together while I was here. To the rest of the faculty, I leave my thanks and happiness. To Mr. Gerald Williams, I leave my love and I want to thank you for being a true friend. To Mr. Ricky Cathey, I leave my friendship and I want to thank you for helping me in chemistry. To Mr. Joe Adkinson, I leave my love and appreciation for helping me throughout these years. To Kim Walsh, I leave my love to you, the happiness between us; and I hope we will continue to make each other happy. To Terry Dill, I hope you make a lot of money in the pickle business and a part of the National Guard forever. I also leave to Terry the brotherhood between us. To Kojack, I leave my friendship and capability of being a little "Earl Campbell". I also leave you a free pass to McDonalds everyday. To Jeff Boxley and Doug Talley, I leave my friendship and capability of being the Waster Lewis's and Dr. J's of T.P.S. To the seniors, I leave the ability to cope with the world and all the cussess in the future. To Carla Boynton, I leave my love and I want to thank you for being a little sister to me and a nice person to have around. To Darrell Turner, I hope you have the Hall of Fame. To Bo Javon Francis, I leave my friendship. To Stever Peterson, I leave my friendship and the capability to be another "Carl Lewis Jr". To Chiffonda Washington, I leave my friendship and the capability of being an outstanding athlete in the future. To the rest of T.P.S., I leave you the ability to cope with the place.

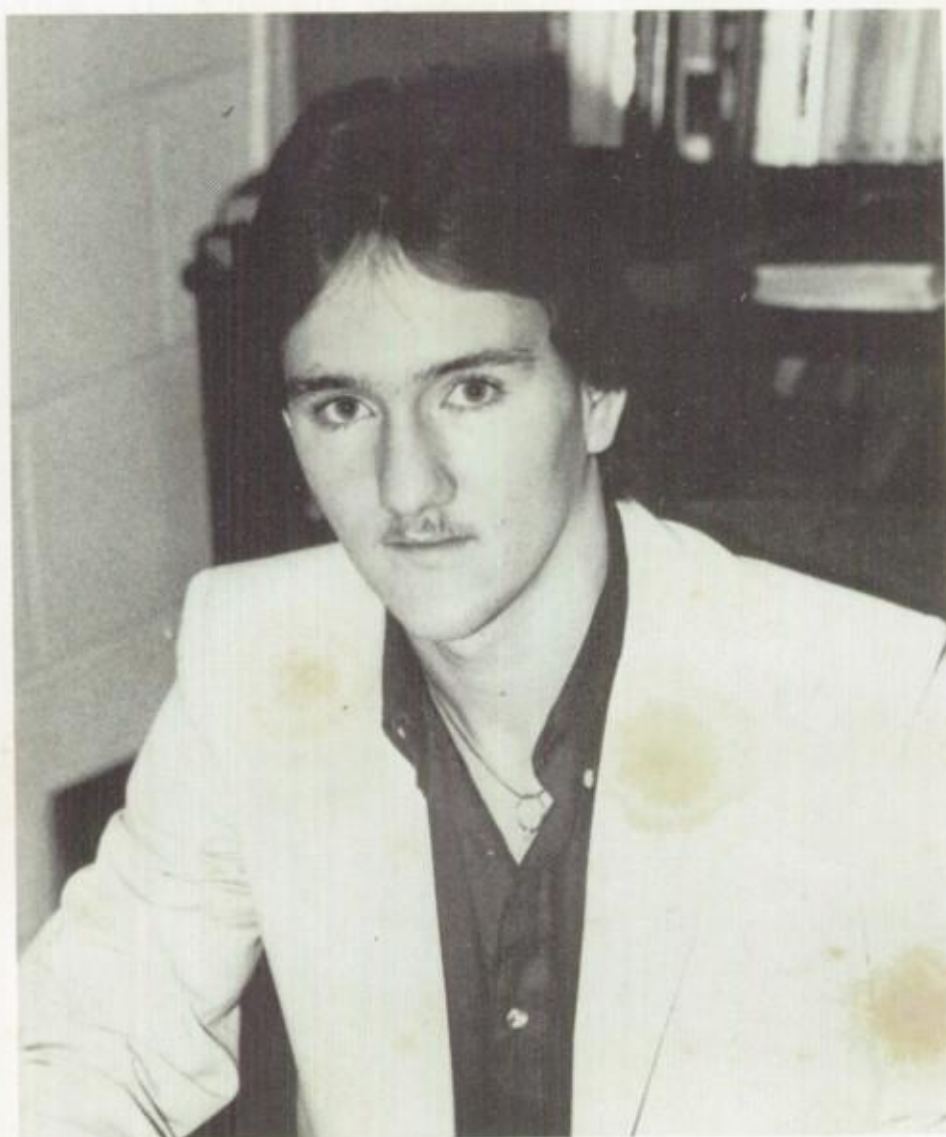
I, Samantha Beasley, leave to Robin Jackson the ability to cope with the reality of T.P.S. Always walk with your head high and don't let anything lead you astray no matter what people may say, think or do. You'll always be better than they. To Kemball Person, all my love and good times we shared together. You'll always have a special place in my heart. I love you and hope that someday somewhere we'll meet again as I go so far away. Please never forget me and always remember I love you. To Youlanda Kelley, the ability to keep the good touch in basketball. Maybe someday you'll go to the Pros with Earl, (Ha!Ha!) To Mr. Bunnell and Coach Wilson, thanks for all you have done for me. You both have made my stay at the high school (old and new) pleasant. You were there when I needed you. To Mrs. Cummings and Coach Gaylor, all my love and gratitude for encouraging me and making me believe I can be as good as I want to be and pushing me to become better in sports. To Mr. and Mrs. Rick Pence, you have been a real Mom and Dad since I have been away from home. Thank you for your moral support. I'll never forget you. To Mr. and Mrs. Miller, I haven't known you as long, but the time we have been together I've enjoyed all of it. I wish it could have been longer, but that's life. Mrs. Rivers, you have been more of a friend than a supervisor. I liked all the good times we had in Davis 4. Keep up the good work and more people like me will love you for it. To my dad, Mr. Fuqua, thanks for all the help in history. You have been a good friend, a person to whom I can talk about my problems. Stay sweet and fat and I love you. To Jeff Boxley, Chiffonda Washington, Ernest Stanley, Bernard Johnson, and Terry Cheirs, along with Robert Williams, all my love and best wishes as you go on your journey in life. Keep your head high and your best foot forward. To the Graduating Class of 1984 as we go our separate ways may God bless us and keep us safe. Maybe someday we shall all meet again. I hope that each and everyone of us has a successful and promising life.

I, Karen Cook, leave to my big brother, Kenny Hall, all my love and all the wild times we had on Level 3. To Daddy Barnard, I leave my bad times and sad stories. I hope you will be able to find someone else like me. I love you Daddy!! Thanks for all your help while I was at the Prep. My thanks to Mrs. Cummings, for all the help in English. I leave to Mrs. F. Wilson my place at the typewriter. I leave to my little sister Genia Johnson my love and the ability to cope with T.P.S. like I did. Keep your head held high. Don't let anyone get you down. I love you Sis!! Until we meet again, look up, not down. To Mr. Duke, I leave my love and all the fun times in homeroom and in group. Thanks for helping me keep my head held high. Thanks again. To J.B., I leave my thanks for all the help when I was down. I really appreciate your being there when I needed you. To Miss Rivers, I leave my thanks for helping me and the good times in Davis 4. I will never forget you. I hope that you will be able to find others like us. I leave to Mr. and Mrs. Miller my thanks for helping me through my senior year. It's been great having you as dorm parents. Thanks for having an open ear. I leave to Cindy Hale my room in the senior dorm. Cindy, keep up the good work and you will go far in whatever you do. To Youlanda Kelly all the happiness in the world. I hope that you will continue to play basketball. Good luck Yo! Yo! To all the people I have left out, the ability to cope with T.P.S. and I hope you make it at T.P.S. Good Luck!! To the graduating class of 1984 all the luck in the world. "We finally made it!!"

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